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# Blanton to seek venue change

by Lilly Adkins  
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE — A change in venue will be sought at the arraignment of a Johnson County man accused of murdering his parents.  
William E. Blanton, 30, indicted last week on two counts of murder, two counts of tampering with physical evidence and first-degree persistent felony offender, is scheduled to be arraigned April 5, three days before his trial is set to begin in Lawrence County on other charges.  
In that case, Blanton is charged with possessing forged checks belonging to his parents and attempting to fill his father's prescription at a Paintsville pharmacy.  
According to last Wednesday's indictment, Blanton allegedly "intentionally and/or wantonly with extreme indifference to the value of human life" caused the deaths of his parents, Larry and Sandra Blanton, by "inflicting blunt force injury" to their heads and bodies.  
The indictment also claims he allegedly "destroyed, mutilated, concealed, removed or altered physical evidence which he believed was about to be produced or used in an official proceeding with the intent to impair its availability by attempting to destroy or conceal various items used in the commission" of the murders of Larry and Sandra Blanton by concealing their bodies.



William Blanton

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## Sheriff's son pleads guilty to PI charge

by Lilly Adkins  
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG — The son of Floyd County Sheriff John K. Blackburn pleaded guilty Monday to a public intoxication charge.  
Jeffrey Blackburn entered a guilty plea at his arraignment Monday in Floyd District Court and was sentenced to five days in jail, for which he received jail credit for time served.  
Jeffrey Blackburn was arrested March 20 by members of the Prestonsburg Police Department, who were dispatched to a complaint of a driver in a black Chevrolet S-10 pickup truck who was possibly impaired.  
The arresting officer, Brad Martin, said he had received a complaint to assist with a traffic stop and that Sgt. Bryan Walker located the vehicle in the parking lot at Glyn View Plaza, but the driver wasn't in the vehicle.  
"Sergeant Walker drove behind the restaurant, Mia Italiano, and spoke with a couple of employees, and they told him that there was a man in the restroom who had been in there for 15 or 20 minutes and that he didn't act right and it was making them nervous," Martin said. "They said they were getting nervous and were about to call when they saw us outside. The sergeant hollered at me, and I went over. He

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DRUG DROPOFFS



MARTIN COUNTY SHERIFF Garmon Preece was out of town when a new dropbox for unwanted medications was delivered by Operation UNITE vice president Dan Smoot, but chief deputy Bryan Tipton, Martin County Attorney Kennis Maynard, Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Melissa Fannin-Phelps, UNITE Martin County Coalition chairperson Stephanie Rodriguez and UNITE Coalition coordinator Ashley Akers were on hand to answer any questions and to receive the new equipment on his behalf in support of the effort to rid the county of drugs. *BSN photo/Lilly Adkins*

## UNITE delivers boxes to area law enforcement agencies

by Lilly Adkins  
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

Operation UNITE placed new medication drop boxes in sheriff's offices throughout the Big Sandy region on March 20, including one each in Lawrence, Johnson and Martin counties.  
The organization is trying to make it easier for people to dispose of their expired or unwanted medications, and it doesn't matter if it's prescription or over-the-counter items.  
Collection boxes are open during regular business hours of the various law enforcement agencies offices.  
UNITE vice president Dan Smoot was present for the unveiling of the new collections boxes at the Lawrence County Sheriff's Office, the Paintsville Police Department and the Martin County Sheriff's Office.  
"It is our hope that people now have a safe place to dispose of their medications and that they will use it," Smoot said. "Our goal is to have one in every county in the Fifth Congressional District. Thus far, from the ones we've cleaned out, we are up to about 1,000 lbs. of pills and we will be doing another cleanup before we deliver them to the DEA on April 27."  
Smoot also said that the boxes must be bolted to

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## Johnson GJ issues sixteen true bills

by Lilly Adkins  
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE — The Johnson County Grand Jury issued 16 indictments March 20.  
In addition to the indictment of William E. Blanton on two counts of murder and other offenses, detailed in a separate story, others named in true bills are:  
• Mandy Wireman, 33, of West Van Lear, charged with two separate counts of first-degree bail jumping.  
According to the indictment, on or before March 15, Wireman allegedly knowingly and unlawfully after having been released from custody by the court upon the condition that she will subsequently appear at a specified time and place in connection with a felony charge, intentionally failed to appear at that time and place as ordered by the court for case number 12-CR-00110.  
According to the second indictment, on or before March 15, Wireman allegedly knowingly and unlawfully after having been released from custody by the court upon the condition that she will subsequently appear at a specified time and place in connection with a felony charge, intentionally failed to appear at that time and place as ordered by the court for case number 12-CR-00109.

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# Counties in region among state's least healthy

BSN Staff Report

PAINTSVILLE — Counties in the Big Sandy region are among the least healthy in Kentucky, according to a report released last week.  
In fact, Floyd County is designated as the state's least healthy county in the fourth annual "County Health Rankings," released March 20 by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute (UWPHI).  
Although other counties in the region are ranked higher than Floyd on the healthy meter, they are among those in the poorest health, the report shows.

Martin County is ranked 114th, Johnson County is ranked 108th and Lawrence County is ranked 100th.  
Terry Brooks, executive director at Kentucky Youth Advocates, said the report "reminds us that health does not exist in a vacuum."  
"The national and state data reveal that a number of non-health factors are cornerstones to the state of Kentuckians' health," Brooks said in a press release. "For instance, we know that there is a direct and disturbing link between child poverty and health. Until we tackle poverty, graduation rates and family supports, the state of health for Kentuckians will not improve."  
The rankings allow counties to see how they compare to other counties within the state. The actual data is based on a range of factors that influence health, including high school graduation rates, obesity, smoking, and family and social support. This year's rankings include new measures, such as how many dentists are in a community per resident.  
Brooks said Kentucky communities "should see these rankings as a challenge."  
"That challenge is less about comparing this county with that county and more about how every community can take action to improve the health of its neighbors," Brooks said. "Fortunately, people from all parts of the state are working to improve the health of their community. For example, a few communities in Eastern Kentucky including Raceland and South Shore recently passed ordinances that will help make their communities friendlier to active modes of transportation including bicycling and walking. Other communities are working on making their communities smoke-free to reduce secondhand smoke exposure and smoking rates."  
According to the 2013 Rankings, the five healthiest counties in Kentucky, starting with most healthy, are Oldham, followed by Boone, Shelby, Lyon, and Spencer. The five counties in the poorest health, starting with least healthy, are Floyd, Perry, Breathitt, Wolfe, and Lee.  
"We all have a stake in creating a

healthier community and no single sector alone can tackle the health challenges in any given community," said Patrick Remington, MD, MPH, professor and associate dean at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health. "Collaboration is critical. The Rankings are sparking action all over the country as people from all sectors join forces to create new possibilities in health—county by county."  
"As important as local action is, our state elected officials must also shoulder the responsibility for improving the health of all Kentuckians," added Brooks. "We need

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## JOINT VENTURE



**BUD WARMAN, PRESIDENT** and CEO of Highlands Health System, announced the affiliation with Pikeville Medical Center as PMC chief Walter May (seated) looked on.

# HRMC, PMC join forces

**PRESTONSBURG** — Hospital officials announced Monday that Highlands Health System will expand its range of cardiology services in collaboration with Pikeville Medical Center.

PMC will provide general cardiology and diagnostic services at the Highlands Medical Office Building on the Highlands Regional Medical Center main campus in Prestonsburg.

"This agreement with Highlands will bring cardiology services closer to the people living in Prestonsburg, Floyd County and surrounding counties," said Walter E. May, president & CEO of Pikeville Medical

Center. "We are pleased to add Highlands Regional Medical Center to the list of hospitals we are affiliated with like Cleveland Clinic in Ohio and Buchanan General Hospital in Grundy, Virginia.

Highlands — which offers a full range of cardiology services such as inpatient and outpatient diagnostics, nuclear medicine, cardiac rehab, stress testing, heart health education and more — will now have more capabilities with the availability of PMC cardiologists on site, hospital officials said.

Pikeville and Highlands developed the arrangement in an effort to broaden health

services within the community, officials with the hospitals said.

"Our goal is to provide our patients with the best care possible. We are continuing to do so through the expansion of our cardiology service line, and our relationship with Pikeville Medical Center" said Bud Warman, president & CEO of Highlands Health System.

Beginning April 1, patients will be seen at the office located on the fourth floor, suite 4102, of the Highlands Medical Office Building, 5000 Rt. 321 Prestonsburg. For appointments, call (606) 218-2939.

## BLANTON: Change of venue to be requested

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The indictment also says he has been previously convicted of a felony on at least two separate occasions.

Blanton's court-appointed attorney, Steve Goble, said Monday that he expects to ask for a change in venue in the murder case due to news coverage.

"You only get one chance for a change in venue, and I want to make sure that the jurors hear facts of the case," Goble said. "The Big Sandy News covers Lawrence County, Martin County, Johnson County, Floyd County, and Magoffin County, and you have The Paintsville Herald and WSAZ and WYMT covering the case, so we want to make sure people haven't read about it or seen it on TV and already formed an opinion."

Goble also said that the commonwealth's attorney office might move to have the cases combined, which might require a continuance in next week's scheduled trial.

"I am still waiting for discovery," Goble said. "I don't actually know until his arraignment on April 5 what will happen," Goble said. "I guess we will see. I don't really want to speak about the facts of the case, but I don't care to talk about procedure."

Commonwealth's Attorney Anna Melvin said last week that she anticipated Blanton's attorney would seek a change in venue and that most likely the cases would be combined.

"We will probably try the cases all together, and if that happens, there will probably be a continuance for the trial scheduled in Lawrence County on April 8," Melvin said.

Larry and Sandra Blanton were reported missing in September 2012 and authorities said at the time of their disappearance that William Blanton and his girlfriend, Amanda Fannin, were considered persons of interest in the case.

The murder indictment was a result of a plea agreement involving Fannin, who apparently helped authorities

in the investigation.

Fannin, who was indicted last year on charges of flagrant non-support and promoting contraband, entered a plea agreement with the commonwealth's attorney's office "to provide information that the Commonwealth believes will enable them to prosecute William E. Blanton for causing the deaths of his of his parents, Larry Blanton and Sandra Blanton, and for concealing their remains."

"The Defendant agrees to provide a full and complete statement concerning her total knowledge of the events surrounding the disappearance, presumed death (including manner and mechanism of death) and burial of Larry and Sandra Blanton, and agrees to provide testimony if necessary concerning her knowledge of these events," the plea agreement says. "All statements given by the defendant pursuant to this agreement shall be made in the presence of her counsel and shall be recorded. Should the Defendant fail to disclose a material fact known to her, knowingly give false information, or is later discovered to have been involved in the death of Larry and Sandra Blanton, the Commonwealth and defendant are released from this agreement with any information gained by the Commonwealth useable for any purpose."

The couple's remains were found buried in an area by a barn on the couple's Oil Springs property Feb. 22. According to Johnson County Coroner, J. R. Frisby, they died of blunt force trauma to the head and the trunk.

Frisby also explained that it was necessary to use dental records and a pacemaker to positively identify the couple and the official date of death was determined through joint investigation efforts with the Johnson County Sheriff's Office to be Sept. 7, 2012.

On Oct. 17, 2012, William Blanton was indicted for charges associated with the case.

Blanton is scheduled to go to trial in Lawrence County

April 8, for charges in nine separate indictments for alleged offenses that occurred after or before the couple went missing. He was arrested Oct. 8, 2012 after he allegedly attempted to fill his father's prescription for methadone at a Paintsville Pharmacy, at which time he was charged with obtaining or attempting to obtain a controlled substance without a practitioner prescription.

In the first indictment, Blanton is charged with intent to defraud/scheme/artifice to obtain benefits under \$10,000 and first-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on or about Sept. 27, Blanton allegedly devised a scheme or plan or artifice to obtain benefits from any assistance program by means of false or fraudulent representations or engage in conduct that advances that scheme and is a previously convicted felon.

In five additional indictments, Blanton is charged with a total of 10 counts of criminal possession of a forged instrument and first-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictments, all of the charges of criminal possession of a forged instrument occurred between Sept. 3 and Sept. 14, 2012. The indictments claim he possessed forged checks totaling \$3,185.81 belonging to his parents.

In addition, on Oct. 1, Blanton allegedly took cattle and various items of scrap metal belonging to Larry Blanton with a value totaling \$1,500 and is also charged with prohibited acts relating to controlled substances, according to the indictments.

On Oct. 8, Blanton allegedly knowingly and unlawfully misrepresented or withheld information from a practitioner, the indictments say.

In nearly all the indictments, Blanton is also charged with first-degree persistent felony offender because he is a previously convicted felon.



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# JOHNSON: Grand jury issues sixteen indictments

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• David M. Smith, 35, of Lenore, W.Va., charged with first-degree bail jumping.

According to the indictment, on or before Feb. 15, Smith allegedly knowingly and unlawfully, after having been released from custody by the court upon the condition that he will subsequently appear at a specified time and place in connection with a felony charge, intentionally failed to appear at that time and place as ordered by the court for case number 12-CR-00088.

• Tammy Brink, 44, of Paintsville, charged with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance and second-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on or before Sept. 13, 2012, Brink allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in 10 units of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone and she is also a previously convicted felon.

• Elmer Lee Price, 60, of Paintsville, charged in two separate indictments with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance and in a third indictment with second-degree trafficking in a controlled substance.

According to the indictments, on or before Jan. 9, 2012, Price allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in 25 units of a scheduled III controlled substance, Hydrocodone. In the other two indictments, on or before Jan. 10, 2012, and on Jan. 18, 2012, Price allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in 15 units of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone.

• Wilma Bates, 62, of Paintsville, charged in two separate indictments with first-degree trafficking in a

controlled substance.

According to the indictments, on or before June 13, 2012 Bates allegedly trafficked in seven and one-half 7.5 units of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone, and on or before June 14, 2012, Bates allegedly trafficked 10 units of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone.

• Ruthie Spears, 34, of Hager Hill, charged with first-degree possession of a controlled substance.

According to the indictment, on or before Nov. 5, 2012, Spears allegedly knowingly and unlawfully was in possession of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone.

• Lisa Johnson, 43, of Paintsville, charged with theft by unlawful taking under \$10,000, first-degree possession of a controlled substance and second-degree possession of a controlled substance.

According to the indictment, on or about Sept. 12, 2012, Johnson allegedly knowingly and unlawfully \$4,415 in cash from Jeff Burchett of Stambaugh, was in possession of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone, and a schedule III controlled substance, Hydrocodone.

• Jeffrey Irvin, 43, of Paintsville, charged with first-degree assault.

According to the indictment, on or about Feb. 14, Irvin allegedly wantonly, under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, fired a .22-caliber rifle, thereby creating a grave risk of death and or serious physical injury to another person which resulted in serious physical injury to Rebecca Mullins of Paintsville.

• Tiffany Beverly, 23, of Paintsville, charged with first-

degree possession of a controlled substance.

According to the indictment, on or before Nov. 5, 2012, Beverly allegedly was knowingly and unlawfully in possession of a schedule controlled substance, methamphetamine.

• Jeremy Burchett, 37, of River, charged with second-degree escape.

According to the indictment, on or before March 7, Burchett allegedly knowingly and unlawfully escaped the custody of Kay Grevious, program coordinator with the 24th Judicial Circuit Community Corrections Program, by fleeing his registered residence where he was being monitored by his ankle device, after having been placed on court ordered home incarceration as part of the graduated sanction conditions from Johnson Circuit Court for case number 11-CR-00063.

• Jeremy Caudill, 48, of Salyersville, charged with third-degree assault and terroristic threatening.

According to the indictment, on or about March 13, Caudill allegedly knowingly and unlawfully caused physical injury or attempted to cause physical injury to correctional officer Michael Copley with the Big Sandy Regional Detention Center while working within his official capacity, attempting to subdue the inmate, and threatened to commit a crime against correctional guard Donna McDowell with the Big Sandy Regional Detention Center likely to result in death or serious physical injury of her.

*Editor's note: An indictment is not an indication of guilt but a determination by a grand jury that criminal charges warrant further judicial review.*

# UNITE: Drug dropoff boxes delivered to agencies

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the floor in each of the host offices and that should someone want to dispose of medication and not be able to get to the office during regular business hours to dispose of it, they can call the various law enforcement agencies.

"I'm sure they would be happy to come and pick it up if necessary," Smoot said.

All identifying labels on prescription pill bottles should

be removed before they are disposed of and liquid medications are not currently accepted in the collection boxes.

The U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration holds prescription drug take-back day programs periodically and the next one is scheduled for April 27, according to information posted on the UNITE website.

All Kentucky State Police Posts and other agencies participate.

Drop-off centers will also be available at Food City Pharmacy locations at N. Mayo Trail in Paintsville, 28093 Thompson Plaza in South Williamson, 429 University Drive in Prestonsburg as well as areas in Bell, Harlan and Pike Counties.

As of March 20, medication drop boxes are located in Floyd County at the Prestonsburg Police Department; in Johnson County at the Johnson County Sheriff's Office and the Paintsville Police Department; in Lawrence County at the Lawrence County Sheriff's Office; in Martin at the Martin County Sheriff's Office; in Magoffin County at the Magoffin County Sheriff's Office as well as Bath, Bell, Breathitt, Clay, Jackson, Knott, Knox, Laurel, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Lincoln, McCreary, Menifee, Morgan, Owsley, Perry, Pike, Pulaski, Rockcastle, Whitley, and Wolfe counties.

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# COUNTIES: Health rankings are released

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schools to embrace their role in children's physical and mental well-being. We need lawmakers to muster the courage to pass a statewide smoke-free law. And, until we improve the economic stability of Kentucky families through such provisions as a state-level Earned Income Tax Credit, we are not going to sufficiently improve health."

The Rankings are one part of the County Health Rankings & Roadmaps program. Communities are taking information from the County

Health Rankings and using the County Health Roadmaps to build connections with local and national partners to improve health. Today marks the release of the call for applications for the 2014 RWJF Roadmaps to Health Prize, which honors outstanding community partnerships that are helping people live healthier lives. To learn more about this year's winning communities or get information about becoming one, visit [www.rwjf.org/goto/prize](http://www.rwjf.org/goto/prize) and [www.countyhealthrankings.org](http://www.countyhealthrankings.org).

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## REGIONAL RUNNER-UP



**THE PAINTSVILLE ELEMENTARY** academic team finished second overall in the Region 31 Governor's Cup academic meet, hosted by Highland Elementary. Region 31 consists of the following schools: Blaine Elementary, Central Elementary, Eden Elementary, Fallsburg Elementary, Flat Gap Elementary, Highland Elementary, Inez Elementary, Louisa East Elementary, Meade Memorial Elementary, Paintsville Elementary, Porter Elementary, Trinity Christian Academy, W.R. Castle Memorial Elementary and Warfield Elementary. Paintsville results are as follows: Bryce Ward, fifth in science and fifth in social studies; Emily Branham, second in language arts; Vernice Riego, third in arts and humanities; Lena Mollett, fourth in arts and humanities; quick recall team, fourth; and future problem solving team, first. The PES academic team is coached by Renae Plaxico.

# Eight area schools are recognized

### BSN Staff Report

Eight schools in the Big Sandy region have been named to the 2012 National Center for Educational Achievement (NCEA) Higher Performing Schools List.

Four schools in Floyd County and three in Johnson County made the NCEA's list, which includes a total of 136 schools in 67 districts in Kentucky.

The list by NCEA, a department of ACTS, Inc., identifies elementary, middle, and high schools in Kentucky that have consistently outperformed their peers with similar student populations over a three-year period.

May Valley Elementary in

Floyd County was one of only four schools in the state recognized for performance and growth measures in all five subjects areas: reading, math, science, social studies and writing.

Other schools in the region that made the list are:

- Allen Central Middle School (Floyd County), performance measures in math, science and social studies.
- McDowell Elementary (Floyd County), performance measure in reading and performance and growth measures in social studies.
- Meade Memorial Elementary (Johnson County), growth measure in science and writing.
- Porter Elementary (John-

son County), performance and growth measures in reading and writing.

• W.D. Osborne Elementary (Floyd County), performance and growth measures in social studies, and growth

measure in writing.

• W.R. Castle Elementary (Johnson County), growth measure in social studies, and performance and growth measures in writing.

## Johnson sheriff to get new cars

by Lilly Adkins  
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

**PAINTSVILLE** — The Johnson County Sheriff's Office will be able to purchase two new 2013 Ford Police Interceptors thanks to a \$20,210 grant being awarded to the Johnson County Fiscal Court and for their agreement to provide matching funds.

The Johnson County Fiscal Court is contributing \$37,534 for a total project cost of \$57,744.

Congressman Hal Rogers announced the awarding of the grant March 22 and said the United States Department of Agriculture-Rural Development awarded the federal

grant to the Johnson County Fiscal Court for the purpose of purchasing two new cruisers for the sheriff's office. Rogers also said in his release that the award is at the sole discretion of USDA-RD.

"The resources of our rural Sheriff's Offices are stretched thin by budget restraints," Rogers said in a press release. "Updating a law enforcement fleet is a costly task that will always be essential to protecting families in our rural counties. I applaud the Johnson County Fiscal Court and Judge Executive 'Tucker' Daniel for their efforts to help ensure emergency protection is available for the people of Johnson County."

## SON: Blackburn enters guilty plea to intoxication

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(Blackburn) was still in the restroom when we went inside, but then he came out. He had glassy eyes and showed signs of impairment. He said he had drunk one beer, but we believe he was under the influence of a controlled substance. We did a field sobriety test and he failed that, but we didn't go for blood work or anything."

Jeffrey Blackburn was tak-

en into custody, charged with public intoxication of a controlled substance and transported to the Floyd County Detention Center.

Days earlier, his father, John K. Blackburn, was arrested in Powell County on a charge of driving under the influence and he is scheduled for arraignment on April 9.

John Blackburn was at the time of his arrest driving a Chevrolet Tahoe registered to the Floyd County Sheriff's Office.



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# Obituaries

## Alene Music 1931-2013

JOHNSON COUNTY — Alene Music, 81, of Denver, died Monday, March 18, in Georgetown.

Born April 17, 1931, in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late Earl and Mary Arms Spradlin.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Charles Music.

Survivors include two sons, Terry Music of Denver and Perry Music of Oil Springs; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, March 21, in Phelps and Son Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Spradlin-Music Cemetery, Denver, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Paintsville.

## Alice Judith Norvilla Burgess 1930-2013

JOHNSON COUNTY — Alice Judith Norvilla Burgess, 82, of Staffordsville, died Sunday, March 17, at Mountain Manor Nursing Home, Paintsville.

Born July 16, 1930, at Paulsboro, N. J., she was the daughter of the late Benjamin Boleslaw and Eleanor Ursule Bernisky Norvilla. She was a homemaker and U.S. Navy veteran.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Leonard Paul Norvilla; and three sisters, Mary Peterson, Adele Rand and Helen Norvilla.

Survivors include her husband, Harold Ernest Burgess Jr.; three sons, Mark Alan Burgess and Bryan Harold Burgess, both of Lexington, and Steven Wayne Burgess of Nippa; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were Wednesday, March 20, at Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Terence Hoppenjans officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Park, Staffordsville, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

## Eyvind Dion Crum 1962-2013

POWELL COUNTY — Eyvind Dion Crum, 51, of Stanton, died Monday, March 18, at Hospice Care Center, Lexington.

Born Feb. 7, 1962, in Floyd County, he was the son of Juanita Slone Crum of Van Lear and the late Elmer Crum. He was a business manager.

He was also preceded in death by a brother, Rex Eugene Crum.

Additional survivors include his wife, Brenda Joyce Hannah Crum; two daughters, Cassidy Crum and Jessica Crum, both of Stanton; a brother, Mickey Crum of Van Lear; and two sisters, Dolores Yvonne Castle of West Van Lear and Glenda Jean Ward of Hager Hill.

Funeral services were Wednesday, March 20, at Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Joe Harmon and Bob Hutchinson officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Park, Staffordsville, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

## Alice Delena Perry Chaffins 1951-2013

FLOYD COUNTY — Alice Delena Perry Chaffins, 61, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, March 20, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born Oct. 4, 1951, at Prestonsburg, she was the daughter of the late Ted and Pearlie Bays Perry. She was a homemaker and member of the Freewill Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by a son, Phillip Russell Chaffins.

Survivors include her husband, Phillip L. Chaffins; two sons, Shawn Chaffins of Dwale and Norman Chaffins of Sydney; two sisters, Debra Sue Blackburn and Betty Lou Perry, both of Prestonsburg; and 15 grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, March 23, at Lancer Freewill Baptist Church, with Bobby Carpenter officiating. Burial was in Sester Cemetery, Lancer, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

## Lawrence “The Glass Man” Gray Hackworth 1926-2013

MAGOFFIN COUNTY — Lawrence Gray “The Glass Man” Hackworth, 86, of Salyersville, died Wednesday, March 20, at Paul B. Hall Medical Center.

Born July 29, 1926, in Magoffin County, he was the son of the late Jim and Stella Marshall Hackworth. He worked for Glacier-Glass.

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Genevieve “Jan” Saylor Hackworth; a son, Terry Hackworth; a brother, Paul Hackworth; and a sister, Opal Hackworth.

Survivors include seven sons, Gerald Hackworth of Florida, Tom Hackworth of Jackson, Mich., Lawrence Hackworth Jr. of Morehead, Daniel Hackworth and Roger Hackworth, both of Salyersville, Tim Hackworth of Brooklyn, Mich., and Larry Hackworth of Stockbridge, Mich.; three daughters, Gloria Futch of Daland, Fla., Shawn Gaines of Lexington and Michelle Patrick of Paintsville; a brother, James Buster Hackworth of Marion, Ohio; 49 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 25, at Magoffin County Funeral Home Chapel, with Dewayne Johnson and Jason Johnson officiating. Burial was in Highlands Memorial Park, Staffordsville, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

## Fred J. Meade 1920-2013

WEST VIRGINIA — Fred J. Meade, 92, of Kermit, W.Va., died Sunday, March 17, at Three Rivers Medical Center.

Born Sept. 22, 1920, in Mingo County, W.Va., he was the son of the late James and Jeanetta Spaulding Meade.

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Betty Messer; and three brothers, Thomas Meade, Howard Meade and Benton Meade.

Survivors include two daughters, Wanda Newsome of Kermit and Fredia Messer of Ostrander, Ohio; a sister, Ernestine Endicott of Wheelersburg, Ohio; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Wednesday, March 20, at Welcome Home Church, Jenny’s Creek. Burial was in Lark Perry Cemetery, Jenny’s Creek, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Inez.

## Emma Faye Rowland 1941- 2013

JOHNSON COUNTY — Emma Faye Rowland, 72, of Volga, died Thursday, March 14, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born Feb. 4, 1941, in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late George and Martha Pelphey Salyer. She was a retired supervisor for the Social Security Administration.

Survivors include a son, Barry Rowland of Staffordsville; a daughter, Janie Pickle of Brentwood, Tenn.; four brothers, Clarence Salyer of Ashland, George Paul Salyer of Flat Gap, Louie Salyer of Sunberry, Ohio, and Winfred Salyer of Paintsville; four sisters, Ann Barber and Orpha Childers, both of Paintsville, Helen Keeton of Middlesboro and Edna Williams of Oil Springs; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 18, at Fish Trap United Baptist Church, with Sammy Reed and Frankie Williams officiating. Burial was in Johnson County Memorial, Staffordsville, under direction of Paintsville Funeral Home, Paintsville.

## Drema Derossett Burkley 1964-2013

FLOYD COUNTY — Drema Derossett Burkley, 48, of Dwale, died Tuesday, March 19.

Born May 29, 1964, she was the daughter of the late William Thomas “Tommy” and Emma Mae Porter Derossett.

Survivors include two sons, Joshua Kyle Clay of Florida and Nick Clay of Prestonsburg; a brother, Greg Derossett of Grethel; a sister, Karen Derossett Clark of Prestonsburg; and two grandchildren.

Graveside services were Friday, March 23, in Georgetown Cemetery with Methodist ministers officiating, under direction of Tucker-Yocum and Wilson Funeral Home, Georgetown.

## Keither Stacy 1935-2013

MARTIN COUNTY — Keither Stacy, 77, of Pilgrim, died Monday, March 18, at his residence.

Born June 28, 1935, in Martin County, he was the son of the late Robert and Rebecca Davis Stacy.

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Doris Jean Howard Stacy; two brothers, Lawrence Stacy and Cecil Stacy; and a sister, Emily Moore.

Survivors include six daughters, Rita Dials, Betty Dials, Daleen Maynard, Paula Hardin, Janifer Stacy and Rachel Moore; four sons, Ricky Stacy, Mitchell Stacy, Randall Stacy and Christopher Stacy; a brother, Freeman Stacy; five sisters, Lillian Staton, Betty Jo Jude, Breezy Jude, Ruth Ellen Sparks and Roxie Fletcher; 29 grandchildren; and 29 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, March 21, at Sidney Old Regular Baptist Church, Pilgrim. Burial was in Blackburn Cemetery, Pigeon Roost, under direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, Inez.

## Audrey T. Hall 1926-2013

FLOYD COUNTY — Audrey T. Hall, 86, of Drift, died Wednesday, March 20, at Greg and Noreen Well Hospice Center, Hazard.

Born Aug. 14, 1926, at Minnie, she was the daughter of the late Ernest and Mae Burns Turner. She was a retired school teacher, a member of the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association and UK Alumni Association, and attended the McDowell First Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Ray Turner and Bobby Turner; and a sister, Betty Elliot.

Survivors include a son, Steven Warren Hall of Drift; two brothers, Jimmy Turner and David Turner, both of Drift; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, March 23, at Hall Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Lucy Hall

Cemetery, McDowell, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

## Ronald “Bill” Hughes 1948-2013

FLOYD COUNTY — Ronald “Bill” Hughes, 64, of Garrett, died Thursday, March 21, at his residence.

Born June 19, 1948, at Martin, he was the son of the late Clarence and Nona Cavins Hughes. He was a retired coal miner and member of the Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church of Estill.

He was also preceded in death by two brothers, Donald Hughes and Bobby Hughes; and a sister, Aileen Howard.

Survivors include his wife, Margie Hicks Hughes; a son, William Ronald Hughes of Printer; two brothers, Jimmy Hughes and Clarence Hughes, both of Garrett; two sisters, Peggy Daniels and Joyce Allen, both of Garrett; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 24, at Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church, with Martin Branch Freewill Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was in Mountain Memory Gardens, Hindman, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Hindman.

## Ruth Emma Endicott 1931-2013

MARTIN COUNTY — Ruth Emma Endicott, 81, of Inez, died Thursday, March 21, at Martin County Health Care Facility.

Born Sept. 17, 1931, in Martin County, she was the daughter of the late Gilbert and Mae Pack Endicott.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Carl; a sister, Monte June; and a great-granddaughter.

Survivors include a daughter, Brenda Ratcliff of Louisa; two grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, March 22, at Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, with Bill Frazier and Dennie Ratliff officiating. Burial was in Endicott Cemetery, Little Laurel, under direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, Inez.

## Phillip Dean Spriggs 1942-2013

JOHNSON COUNTY — Phillip Dean Spriggs, 71, of Meally, died Friday, March 22.

Born Jan. 1, 1942, at Boons Camp, he was the son of the late Carl and Clara Staniford Spriggs. He was a merchant and member of the Boons Camp Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Anna Mae Mollett Spriggs; three sons, Oscar Timothy Bowen of Flat Gap, Earl Gregory Bowen of Gallipolis, Ohio and Gary Lee Bowen of Nicholasville; a daughter, Helen Renea Bentley of West Van Lear; a sister, Virginia Kozee of Spring Valley, Ohio; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and two step-grandchildren.

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Funeral services were Monday, March 25, at Boons Camp Freewill Baptist Church, with Edmond Hickman and Ronnie Spriggs officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Memorial Cemetery, Staffordsville, under direction of Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

## Khloe Lynn Smith 2013

MAGOFFIN COUNTY — Khloe Lynn Smith, infant, of Salyersville, died Thursday, March 21, at St. Claire Medical Center.

Born March 21, 2013, in Rowan County, she was the daughter of Josh and Holly Helton Smith.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 24, at Bethlehem to Calvary Church, with Johnny Reed officiating. Burial was in Perkins Cemetery, Trace Branch, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

## Faye Arnett 1933-2013

MAGOFFIN COUNTY — Faye Arnett, 79, of Salyersville, died Thursday, March 21, at Physicians Regional Healthcare Sys-

tems, Naples, Fla.

Born July 16, 1933, in Magoffin County, she was the daughter of the late Hargis and Iva Arnett. She was a member of Salyersville First Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Elmer B. Arnett; a brother, Winfred Arnett; and a sister, Minnie Arnett.

Survivors include two daughters, Dr. Debra Brashear of Columbia and Winnie Gardner of Salyersville; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 25, at First Baptist Church, with Gary Arnett officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Park, Staffordsville, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

## Lawrence J. Handshoe 1931-2013

FLOYD COUNTY — Lawrence J. Handshoe, 82, of Prestonsburg, died Thursday, March 21.

Born Feb. 25, 1931, he was the son of the late Nerva Thomas. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran, retired dental technician and member of the Episco-



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## Opal Wells Alexander 1918-2013

LAWRENCE COUNTY — Opal Wells Alexander, 94, went to be with the Lord on March 20, at her residence, surrounded by her loving family.

Opal was born on April 23, 1918, the daughter of the late Lon and Grace Wells of Blaine, who preceded her in death. She was also preceded in death by her loving husband Elmer (2010), three brothers, Otis Wells, Charles Wells and Donald Wells; and three sons-in-law, Ronald Lyon (1959), Marion Wheeler (2011) and Jerry Morris (2012).

Opal dedicated her life to her husband, children and homemaking. She loved cooking, gardening, canning and sewing. She was well known for the beautiful quilts she made. Opal received her education under the direction of Dr. Cratis Williams, who was instrumental in shaping her future.

She was the oldest member of the Cherokee Enterprise Baptist Church and dedicated her life to serving the Lord at age 16. She was also a member of the Creative Homemaker’s Club. She was a wonderful neighbor and friend to all who knew her.

Opal will be sadly missed by her surviving



children: Geneva Wheeler of Manassas, Va.; Mary Knipp (George), Phyllis Rowena Morris and Paul Alexander (June), all of Grayson. Opal leaves behind seven grandchildren: Ronald Lyon, Karen Pearson, Denise Porter, Scott Knipp, Kirstin Anderson, Kelley Moore and Blake Alexander; ten great-grandchildren: Hope, Ashley, Bryce, Katyn, Abby, Mackenzie, Maci, Maddie, Brooklyn and Landon; and one great-great-grandchild, Shayne; three brothers, Leonard Wells (Opal), Carson Wells (Myrtle) and Bob Wells; and two sisters-in-law, Betty Wells and Pearl Wells.

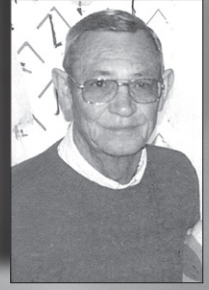
A special “thank you” to Opal’s caregivers, Dorothy Osborne and Nurse Diana Skaggs.

Funeral services were held at Cherokee Freewill Baptist Church, Sunday, March 24, at 1 p.m., with Rev. David Boggs, Ronnie Adams and Donald Wells Jr., officiating, under direction of Young Funeral Home, Louisa.

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*For no one knows my heartache that lies behind my smiles.  
I want so badly to talk to you and ask your advice during my trials.*

*No one knows how many times I have broken down and cried.  
No one knows this pain I feel, for I keep it bottled up inside.*

*I want to tell you something, so there won't be any doubt.  
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**PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF CHRIST** John's Creek. Sun. school 10 a.m., communion 11 a.m., Worship 11:15 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wed. prayer meeting 7 p.m. Minister Greg Nicholas, 789-1649.

**CALVARY CHURCH OF GOD** 218 Pine St., Paintsville. Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. Worship 11:00 a.m., Sun. 6 p.m., DST, and 7 p.m. thereafter. Pastor Chester Keathley.

**CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CENTER** P.O. Box 105, Wittenville, Ky. Donald Bartley, pastor. 3 1/2 miles north of Paintsville on U.S. 23. Wed. night prayer meeting 7 p.m., Sun. Worship Super Church service 11 a.m. Full gospel word church.

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**FIRST CHURCH OF GOD** 8th & Broadway, Paintsville. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Children's church 11:15 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m.; Wed. prayer 7 p.m. Pastor, Dan Heaberlin.

**PAINTSVILLE UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH** 2nd & Church St., regular meetings 4th Sat., 6:30 p.m. & Sun. 10 a.m., every Sun. 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wed. 6:30 p.m. Pastor, John Pelphey, asst. pastor Edward Blanton.

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**BAKER BRANCH FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH** Tutor Key, Ky. Sun. school 9:45 a.m. every Sun., church service 11 a.m. C.T.S. Bible study Wed. 7 p.m., regular service 2nd Sat. and 1st & 4th Sun. nights, 7 p.m. Pastor, Roger VanHoose, phone 789-3699.

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**CHRIST FREEDOM WORSHIP CENTER:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; services, 11 a.m.; Worship, Sunday, 6 p.m.; Wednesday, services at 7 p.m. U.S. 23 Hager Hill, Paintsville. Pastor Jim Daniels.

**CONCORD INDEPENDENT CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST** 321 South, Hager Hill. Rev. Steve Rose, 265-3382. Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. Worship 11 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m. Church phone 788-0323.

**BIG MUD LICK FIRST CHURCH OF GOD.** Rt. 172, Staffordville. Sunday School 10 a.m., morning service 11 a.m., evening service 6 p.m., Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor Phillip Keeton.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH** 1320 N. Lake Dr. (next to Jerry's Restaurant), Prestonsburg. Sun. school (all ages) 9:30 a.m., Sun. Worship 11 am, Sun. adult Bible study 6:30 p.m. Pastor George Love.

**ROCKHOUSE FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH** Rt. 460, Staffordville. Pastor, Rev. Richard Williams, 789-5591. Sun. school 10 am, Sun. Worship 11 a.m., Wed. prayer service 7 pm.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST** Rt. 40 East, Meally, Ky. Sun. Bible study 10 a.m., Sun. Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m.

**MAYO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** Pastor Rev. John Boyd, 789-3296. Sun. school 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:45 a.m., evening praises 6 p.m. GROW Wed. evenings 6 p.m. Activities available for all age levels.

**MEALLY FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH:** Sunday School 10 a.m.; Sun. worship 11 a.m.; Youth service 3rd Sunday at 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible study and CTS class 7 p.m. (classes for all ages). Pastor Greg Coleman.

**CHESTNUT GROVE ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH** U.S. 23, Lowmansville, Ky. 297-6200. Regular meeting time is 3rd Sat. at 7 p.m., Sun. school 9:45 a.m., 6 p.m. and 6 p.m. each Sun.; 7 p.m. Thursday. Pastor Terry Conley, 789-1817.

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p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. Regular meeting 2nd Sat. 7 p.m. Pastor Joe Scott., assistant pastor Danny Ward.

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**MAZIE BAPTIST CHURCH** Martha, Ky. First Sat. night of each month, 7:30, first Sun. of each month 11 a.m. Each Tues. & Sun. at 7:30 p.m. Pastor Richard Barker.

**PAINTSVILLE HOUSE OF PRAYER** 1434 Conley Branch, U.S. 460, Staffordville, Ky., located about 1 mile below John Gray's on right. Sun. School 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m., Wednesday prayer meeting 7 p.m. Pastor Andy Dillon.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST** Van Lear. Sun. services 10:00 a.m. Tutor Key Enterprise Baptist Church Services Sun. morning at 11 a.m. Second and fourth Sun. night at 6 p.m. Service and business meeting first Saturday at 7 p.m. Pastor Arthur Todd Scarberry.

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**COLISTA FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH** Hagerhill. Phone 789-5585. Toby Johnson, pastor. Sun. school 9:45. Sun. Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. night service 7 p.m., regular service first Sat. & Sun. of each month.

**HIGHLAND CHURCH OF CHRIST** 821 Euclid Ave., Paintsville. Sun. school 9:30 a.m., Worship service 10:30 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. J.M. Scott, minister, phone 789-6433

**EASTSIDE FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH** Hwy. 1107, Thelma. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship service 11 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m. Wed. prayer, CTS, 7 p.m. Harry Neal Frisby, pastor 789-1112.

**SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH** Prestonsburg, Sabbath school 9 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m. Joe McCoy, pastor 478-4332, church phone 297-4950.

**SOUTHSIDE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH** Paintsville, Rev. Wayne Price, pastor. Sun. school 10 a.m., service 11 a.m., Sun. 6 p.m., Wed. Bible study, 7 p.m.; Wed. REACH Youth Program 6 p.m. .

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**FIRST FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH** Third St., Paintsville. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., Sun. service 11 a.m., Sun. night 7 p.m. along with radio broadcast. Thurs., prayer service 7 p.m. Reg. meeting 2nd Sat. each month, 7 p.m., Larry Blair, pastor.

**LITTLE MUD LICK CHURCH OF GOD** Staffordville, Bro. Toby Wheeler, pastor. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., evening 7 p.m., children's church 11 a.m. Regular meeting 4th Sat., Sun., & Wed., 7:00 p.m. Special singing every service.

**TOM'S CREEK FREEWILL BAPTIST**, U.S. 23 North of Layne Brothers, Ivel. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Chuck Ferguson.

**THEALKA FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH** Thealka, Gary Blair, pastor Sun. school 10 a.m., morning Worship 11 a.m., evening Worship 7 p.m. each Sun., Thurs. prayer service 7 p.m. reg. service 1st Sat. & Sun. except first Sun. evening of month.

**MARTHA FIRST CHURCH OF GOD** Serving Martha, Keaton, Red Bush & Flat Gap. Sun. school 10 a.m., reg. service 11 a.m., Sun. evening 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. Harold Keaton, pastor.

**PEACEFUL VALLEY INDEPENDENT CHURCH** 3rd weekend: Sat. 7 p.m., Sun. 10:30 a.m. & 7 p.m.; 1st Sunday at 7 p.m.. Eual McKenzie, pastor. On Cantrell Creek Road.

**CHRISTIAN UNION BAPTIST CHURCH**, Keaton, meets Sun. 11 a.m.; Sun. night at 6 p.m.; Business meeting every 3rd Sat. night; Dismissed third Sunday. Wed. Bible Study at 6 p.m. Pastor Tim Salyer.

**WHITE HOUSE ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH** meets the second weekend of each month. Worship service, Sat. night 7 p.m. & Sun. morning 11 a.m. Richard Salyers, pastor.

## FLOYD COUNTY

**ALLEN FIRST BAPTIST**, Allen. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Arnold Turner.

**AUXIER FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Auxier. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Thurs. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Bobby Spencer.

**AUXIER UNITED METHODIST**, Auxier. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 6 p.m. Pastor: Mearl Music.

**BENEDICT BAPTIST**, Slick Rock Br., Cow Creek. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Gordon Fitch.

**BETSY LAYNE CHURCH OF CHRIST**, Betsy Layne. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Tommy J. Spears.

**BETSY LAYNE CHURCH OF GOD**, Old U.S. 23. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Interim Pastor: Vickie Vinson.

**BETSY LAYNE FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Betsy Layne. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Tracy Patton.

**BETSY LAYNE UNITED METHODIST**, Betsy Layne. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Randy Blackburn.

**BONANZA FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Abbott Creek Rd., Bonanza. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Jimmy D. Brown.

**BRANDY KEG FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Corn Fork. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Roger Music.

**CALVARY SOUTHERN BAPTIST**, Betsy Layne. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Doug Lewis.

**CHRIST UNITED METHODIST**, Allen. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Kenneth Lemaster.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**, So. Lake Dr., Prestonsburg. Sun. worship 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Ken

Carriere.

**CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY**, Hi Hat. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Don Fraley Jr.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**, Martin. Relief Society/ Priesthood/Primary 9:30 a.m., Sun. school 10:30 a.m., Sacrament mtg. 11:20 a.m., Wed. at 6 p.m. Bishop: E.P. Grigsby. 285-3133.

**COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD**, Arkansas Creek, Martin. Sun. worship 11 a.m.; Friday 7 p.m. Pastor: Bud Crum.

**COMMUNITY FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Goble Roberts Addition. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Paul D. Coleman.

**COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST**, Burke Avenue. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Jim Savage. Phone: 606-886-8087.

**COW CREEK FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Cow Creek. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Nathan Lafferty.

**DANIELS CREEK BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP CHURCH OF GOD**, Banner. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 7 p.m.; Tues. service 6:30 p.m.

**DRIFT FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Drift. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 6:30 p.m.; Thurs. service 6:30 p.m. Pastor: Randy Turner.

**DRIFT INDEPENDENT**, Drift. Sunday worship 11 a.m.; Thurs. service 6:30 p.m.

**DRIFT PENTECOSTAL**, Drift. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship Saturday/Sunday 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Ted Shannon.

**DRIFT PRESBYTERIAN**, Rt. 1101, Drift. Sun. worship 11 a.m. Pastor: Mary Alice Murray.

**DWALE HOUSE OF PRAYER**, Dwale. Worship 7 a.m., Sunday 6 p.m. Pastor: William Jarrell.

**EMMA UNITED METHODIST**, Emma. Sun. School 10 a.m., Sunday worship 11 a.m.. Pastor, David Proffitt.

**ENDICOTT FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH**, Buffalo. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Mark Hunt.

**FAITH BIBLE**, Martin. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 6 p.m.

**FAITH DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE**, West Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10:30 a.m.; Thurs. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Don Shepherd.

**FAITH FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Rt. 1428. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Buddy Jones.

**FAITH REVELATION MINISTRY**, Harkins St., West Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11:15 a.m., Thurs. 7 p.m. Pastor: Randy Hagans.

**FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD:** Martin, Ky. Pastor Lorie Vannucci. Sun. school 10 a.m.; Sun. morning worship 11 a.m.; Sun. evening 6 p.m.; Wed. worship 7 p.m. family night, Royal Rangers and Missionettes. (606) 285-3051.

**FIRST BAPTIST**, Garrett. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Randy Osborne.

**FIRST BAPTIST**, Martin. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Greydon Howard.

**FIRST BAPTIST**, Front St., Prestonsburg. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Dr. Floyd Price.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN**, 560 N. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Pastor: Jim Sherman.

**FIRST CHURCH OF GOD**. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Steven V. Williams.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**, 1430 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg. Sun. school 9:30 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Pastor: Vicki Poole.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST**, 256 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., worship 10:55 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor: Wayne Sayre.

**FITZPATRICK FIRST BAPTIST**, 3/4 mile Big Branch of Abbott, Prestonsburg.

Fellowship 9:30 a.m., Sun. school 9:45 a.m., morning worship 11 a.m., evening worship 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m. Pastor: Tommy Reed. 886-6204.

**FREE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD**, Weeksbury. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 7 p.m.; Wed./Sat. service 7 p.m. Pastor: John Jay Patton.

**FREE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD**, Rt. 1428, East Point. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Thurs. service 6:30 p.m. Pastor Buster Hayton.

**FREE PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS**, Rt. 122, Upper Burton. Sun. school 11 a.m., worship 7 p.m.; Fri. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Louis Sarlan.

**FREE UNITED BAPTIST**, West Prestonsburg. Sun. school 2 p.m., worship 3 p.m.; Everyone welcome!

**FULL GOSPEL COMMUNITY**, Old Allen. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wed. service 6:30 p.m. Pastor: Lavonne Lafferty.

**GARRETT CHURCH OF GOD**, Garrett. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Donald Bragg.

**GARRETT COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN**, Route 550, Garrett. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wed. service 6:30 p.m. Pastor: Donald Hackworth.

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP**, Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Pastor: Bill Stukenberg.

**GOODLOE PENTECOSTAL**, Rt. 850, David. Sunday worship 6 p.m. Pastor: Malcolm Sloane.

**GRETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH**, St. Rt. 3379, Branham's Creek Rd. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wed. service 6:30 p.m.

**HAROLD CHURCH OF CHRIST**, Harold. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Vernon Sloane.

**HIGHLAND AVENUE FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Prestonsburg. Sun. school 9:50 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: David Garrett.

**HORN CHAPEL METHODIST**, Auxier. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 6 p.m. Pastor: Garfield Potter.

**HUEYSVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST**. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Chester Varney.

**JACKS CREEK BAPTIST**, Bevinsville. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Jeff Barrett.

**KATY FRIEND FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Abbott. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Jimmy Caudill.

**LACKEY FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Lackey. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Johnny J. Collins.

**LANCER BAPTIST CHURCH**, 71 Cooley St., Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. service/ Bible Study 7 p.m. Pastor: Bobby Carpenter.

**LANDMARK CHRISTIAN CHURCH**, Water Gap Road, Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Kenneth E. Prater Jr.

**LIBERTY BAPTIST**, Denver. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 6 p.m. Pastor: Merle Little.

**LIGHTHOUSE BAPTIST**, Rt. 1428, Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Donald Crisp.

**LIGHTHOUSE TEMPLE**, Main St., Prestonsburg. Sun. worship 12 p.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed./Fri. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Roy Cosby.

**LIGON COMMUNITY FREEWILL BAPTIST**, Ligon. Sunday worship 11 a.m.; Thurs. service 7 p.m.



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pal Church.

He was also preceded in death by a daughter, Joyce Payne.

Survivors include his wife, Minerva Arnett Handshoe; two sons, David Handshoe and Larry Joe Handshoe; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Memorial services were Sunday, March 24, at Vogel-Day Methodist Church, Harold, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

## **Linda Delong Dunlap 1952-2013**

WEST VIRGINIA – Linda Delong Dunlap, 60, of Lenore, W.Va., died Friday, March 22, at her residence.

Born April 1, 1952, in Martin County, she was the daughter of the late Frank Jr. and Elma Slone Delong.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Gail Louis Dunlap; a son, Robert Louis Dunlap; and two brothers, Gary McCoy and Michael Delong.

Survivors include two daughters, Gail Endicott of Georgetown and Vickie Evans of Lenore; two brothers, James Avery McCoy and Kenneth Delong, both of Inez; three sisters, Dottie Booth of Ulysses, Diana Fields of Wittenville and Wanda Maynard of Debord; four grandchildren; and three step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 25, at Phelps and Son Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Delong Family Cemetery, Debord, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Inez.

## **Alton Francis 1938-2013**

MAGOFFIN COUNTY – Alton Francis, 75, of Salyersville, died Friday, March 22, at Baptist Health Hospital.

Born Feb. 9, 1938, in Magoffin County, he was the son of the late Lester and Anna Helton Francis. He was in the coal trucking business.

He was also preceded in death by four brothers, Ovie Francis, Ova Francis, Charles Francis and Arvel Francis; and three sisters, Goldie Howard, Rita Howard and Wanda Jean Allen.

Survivors include his wife, Wandaleen Williams

Francis; two sons, Zachary Francis and Zendle Francis, both of Salyersville; a daughter, Sheila Howard of Salyersville; a sister, Grace Howard of Waverly, Ohio; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 25, at Magoffin County Funeral Home Chapel, with Russell Dingus, Grant Cantrell, Tal-mage Mann, and Paul Brown officiating. Burial was in Alton Francis Cemetery, Bloomington, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

## **Elizabeth Austin Woodyard 1912-2013**

CALIFORNIA – Elizabeth Austin Woodyard, 100, of Vacaville, Calif., died Saturday, March 2.

Born Dec. 1, 1912, at Potter, she was the daughter of the late Wiley F. and Mary Catherine Blankenship Austin. She was a member of the Fairfield Newcomers, AAUW, Fairfield-Suisun Visual Arts Association, Geranium City Garden Club and the Rockville Presbyterian Fellowship.

She was also preceded in death by her first husband, Joseph Bell; second husband, William W. Woodyard; two brothers, Edgar Austin and Harry Austin; and four sisters, Owenna Nicley, Dorothea Austin, Oneta Bowers and Minnie Lycan.

Survivors include a daughter, Anna Maria Sabian of Fairfield, Calif.

Funeral services were Wednesday, March 20, at Rockville Presbyterian Church, Suisun. Burial was in Woodmere Memorial Park, Huntington, W.Va., under direction of Bryan-Braker Funeral Home, Fairfield.

## **Willa Dean Keel Hamilton 1933-2013**

OHIO – Willa Dean Keel Hamilton, 79, of Parma, Ohio, died Thursday, March 21, at her residence.

Born March 30, 1933, at Van Lear, she was a member of Ridge Road United Church of Christ and Ellbrook Chapter, #408, Order of the Eastern Star.

She was also preceded in death by three brothers,

Frank Keel, Alvin Keel and Randall Keel.

Survivors include her husband, Willis Hamilton; a brother, Stanley Keel; and a sister Lorraine Newberry.

Funeral services were Monday, March 25, at Busch Funeral Home, Parma, with Kurt Blaufuff officiating. Burial was in Brooklyn Heights Cemetery, Cleveland, under direction of Busch Funeral Home.

## **Leland Kermit Wells 1925-2013**

JOHNSON COUNTY – Leland Kermit Wells, 87, of Hager Hill, died Saturday, March 23, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born Oct. 31, 1925, he was the son of the late William and Mary Bayard Roberts Wells Counts. He was an electrician in the coal mines.

Survivors include his wife, Lora Marie Burchett Wells; a daughter, Linda Wells Grim of Paintsville; a brother, Medley Roger Wells of New Mexico; five sisters, Carol Ward of Prestonsburg, Bille Horn of Hager Hill, Sally Morris of Enon, Ohio, Allene Dune-seith of Conyers, Ga., and Paula True of Lakeland, Fla.; two grandchildren; a step-grandchild; three great-grandchildren; and a step-great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be noon today, Wednesday, March 27, at Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Bobby Joe Spencer officiating. Burial will be in the family cemetery, Auxier, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

## **William C. "Chuck" Spencer 1958-2013**

JOHNSON COUNTY – William C. "Chuck" Spencer, 55, of Kosciusko County, Ind., died Monday, March 25, at his residence.

Born Feb. 26, 1958, at Paintsville, he was the son of the late James and Polly Click Spencer. He was a semi-truck driver.

Survivors include his wife, Tamra Spencer of Warsaw; three sons, Chad Spencer of Oil Springs, Neal Spencer and Chris Spencer, both of Warsaw, Ind.; three sisters, Veletta Morgan and Diana Adams, both of Leander, and Feli-

cia Bales of Denver; two brothers, Darrell Spencer of Swamp Branch and Terry Neal Spencer of Leander; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m., Thursday, March 28, at Phelps and Son Funeral Home. Burial will be in Spradlin Cemetery, Paintsville, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Paintsville.

## **Winston "Popeye" Jefferson 1940-2013**

FLOYD COUNTY – Winston "Popeye" Jefferson, 72, of Auxier, died Sunday, March 24, at his residence.

Born Aug. 30, 1940, in Mason County, he was the son of the late Henry and Mary Folmer Jefferson. He was a retired heavy equipment operator for Martin County Coal, a member of the Masonic Lodge #657 and attended the Methodist Church.

He was also preceded in death by a grandchild.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Webster Jefferson; two sons, Kelly Jefferson of Auxier and Brian Jefferson of East Point; two daughters, Marcia Spencer of Georgetown and Pam Gillispie of Maysville; two sons, Bob Jefferson of Conway, S.C., and Henry Jefferson of Maysville; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 1 p.m. today, Wednesday, March 27, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home. Burial will be in Gethsemane Gardens, Prestonsburg, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

## **Patrick Wayne "Buck" Madden 1958-2013**

KNOTT COUNTY – Patrick Wayne "Buck" Madden, 55, of Littcarr, died Saturday, March 23, in

Blackey.

Born Jan. 13, 1958, in Perry County, he was the son of Patsy Nickles Madden and the late Luther Madden. He was a retired drill operator.

He was also preceded in death by a sister, Priscilla Nickles.

Additional survivors include a son, Patrick Madden Jr. of Littcarr; a daughter, Fallon Fielding of Arkansas; a brother, Paxton Madden of Blackey; three sisters, Patio Smith and Portia Calhoun, both of Kite, and Heather Renee Madden of Lost Creek; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 1 p.m. Thursday, March 28, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home Chapel, with Steve Haddix, Bill Kirby, and Robert Halcomb officiating. Burial will be in Nickles Family Cemetery, Littcarr, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Hindman.

## **Roger Holiday 1947-2013**

MAGOFFIN COUNTY – Roger Holiday, 65, of Salyersville, died Monday, March 25, at his residence.

Born July 11, 1947, he was the son of the late Ben and Deloris Arnett Holiday.

He was also preceded in death by a brother, Wade Holiday.

Survivors include a brother, Robert Wayne Holiday of Gunlock; and three sisters, Louise Collins of Salyersville, Emma Jean Whitaker of Whitesburg and Sharon K. Prater of Salyersville.

Funeral services will be 1 p.m. today, Wednesday, March 27, at Magoffin County Funeral Home Chapel, Salyersville, with Jimmy Brown and Greg Minix officiating. Burial will follow in Holiday Family Cemetery, Half Mountain, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

**Meredith Blaine**

## **"Mert" Depoy 1942-2013**

FLOYD COUNTY – Meredith Blaine "Mert" Depoy, 70, of Prestonsburg, died Saturday, March 23, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Born Dec. 30, 1942, at Buckhannon, W.Va., he was the son of the late Keith George and Odice Norma Farrar Depoy. He was founder/owner of Mert's Guns & Ammo Allen, member of Rock Cave Baptist Church, Rock Cave, W.Va, Past Commander of Frenchcreek DAV, NWTF, NRA and Beech Mountain Sportsmen Club, voluntary driver for DAV., and a U.S. Navy veteran.

He was also preceded in death by a sister, Norma Depoy.

Survivors include his wife, Ada Bowyer Depoy; a son, Blaine Wesley of Prestonsburg; two daughters, Yvette Lynn Latta of Prestonsburg and Michelle Leah Smith of Lancaster; two brothers, Delmas Depoy of Madison, Ohio, and Neil Depoy of Geneva, Ohio; three sisters, Bonnie Williams of Nashua, N. H., Sue Zimmer and Patricia Campbell, both of Geneva, Ohio; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 25, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, and Tuesday, March 26, at Rock Cave Baptist Church, with Grover Dean, Jr. and Randy Polk officiating at Martin, and David Jessie officiating at Rock Cave. Burial was in Pine Grove Cemetery, Czar, W.Va., under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

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otherwise noted.**

# Church Corner

## **Johnson County/ Paintsville Ministerial Association**

The Johnson County/Paintsville Ministerial Association will hold their annual holy week services through March 31. The schedule for the week is Wednesday, March 27, at Mayo Methodist Church, with John Hatton; Thursday, March 28, First Baptist Church, with Wayne Cornett; Friday, March 29, First Christian Church, with Wes Stedtefeld; and Sunday, March 31, Sunrise Services at Oil Springs Methodist Church, with John Back, and Dan Heaberlin of Church of God.

The sunrise service will be held at the Preston Park on Broadway at 7 a.m. The community is welcome to attend all services during Holy Week. For information, call First Christian Church at 606-789-4480, between 7:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

## **Turkey Creek Church of the Nazarene**

The Perry's will be in concert Saturday, March 30, 7 p.m., at the Turkey Creek Church of the Nazarene, 1632 Tug River Road, Inez. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. A love offering will be received. For information, call 606-298-7263,

or email: turkey-creeknaz@gmail.com.

## **Yatesville Church**

Services will be held at the Yatesville Church, Thursday, March 28, at 7 p.m. Services are held every Sunday, beginning with Sunday School at 10:30 a.m., followed by worship service at 11 a.m. Pastor Jim Wilkin-son welcomes everyone to attend.

## **Louisa Freewill Baptist Church**

A revival will be held Sunday, March 31, thru Wednesday, April 3, at Louisa Freewill Baptist Church. Services will begin each evening at 7 p.m. Bro. David Crow from Antioch, Tenn., will be preaching. The church is located on 62 Southside Loop Road. Everyone is welcome to attend.

## **Spencer Freewill Baptist Church**

Spencer Freewill Baptist Church, 4511 Hwy. 1760, Louisa, will have regular services the first and fourth Saturday of each month, beginning at 7 p.m., and every Sunday with Sunday School at 10 a.m., and worship services at 11 a.m. Pastor Roger Ross welcomes everyone to attend.

## **Emmanuel Baptist Church**

Emmanuel Baptist Church, 45 Emmanuel Circle, across the road from Happy Mart on US 23, Louisa, has Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a.m., followed by worship at 11 a.m.; Bible study is held every Wednesday at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call Pastor Jonathan Hall, 606-686-1170.

## **Buchanan Chapel Church**

Services are held every week, beginning with Sunday School at 10 a.m., with worship at 11 a.m. Sunday evening services are at 6 p.m.; Wednesday evening service and youth meetings are at 7 p.m., at Buchanan Chapel Church, located off Rt. 23, Louisa. Pastor Keith Workman welcomes everyone.

## **Macedonia Community Church**

Services are held every week at Macedonia Community Church, 104 North Lackey Ave., Louisa. Sunday School at 10 a.m., with worship at 11 a.m. Pastor John Deboard welcomes everyone. For information, call 606-638-3964.

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### HOMES FOR SALE



**THREE BR BRICK** house, 2-1/2 BA, 2-car garage. Also 2-car garage and half BA out back. 101 Mallard Drive, Point Section, Louisa. \$159,000. 606-483-0042. (3/20-4/13 pd) \*\*\*\*\*

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**TWO BR HOUSE** in Louisa with detached carport. Deposit required. Utilities not included. 606-652-4570. (3/27-4/6 pd) \*\*\*\*\*

**ONE BR HOUSE**, \$300

mo. plus utilities. Deposit and references required. Call 606-673-4826. (3/6 tfn) \*\*\*\*\*

**HOUSE IN LOUISA:** Call Janice at 606-638-4821. (2/5 tfn) \*\*\*\*\*

**FOR RENT: LOUISA** - (3) 3 BR houses, \$600 ea.; (1) 2 BR house, \$500 plus deposit. No pets. 606-638-9794. (3/30 tfn) \*\*\*\*\*

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**CONVENIENT STORAGE, LOUISA**, Ky. 606-638-RENT (7368). (10/26 tfn) \*\*\*\*\*

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**FOR SALE:** 3-1/2 acres at 828 Cooksey Fork, Louisa. 606-686-2363. (3/27-3/30 pd)

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**FOR SALE:** 11.5 acres with water available. Good for double wide or build a home. View of Yatesville Lake, Rt. 32, Louisa. Make reasonable offer. 614-805-8312. (3/27-4/6 pd)

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**DAVE'S AUTO SALES,** Louisa, (beside skating rink). 2006 Jeep Grand Cherokee Laredo AWD; 2004 and 2000 Ford Mustangs—Sporty; 2001, Chevrolet Camaro, Sporty; 1999 Chevrolet Silverado, 4-WD; 1996 Chevrolet Tracker, 4-WD, low miles; 1989 Chevrolet Corvette convertible, low miles; 1994 Mazda Miata convertible, low

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**A U C T I O N :** **MARCH 29** at 7 p.m. Dave's Auction Barn, Lomansville, Ky. 41232. Check out www.auctionzip.com for pictures. 606-483-1828. (3/27-3/30 pd)

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**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE** Pursuant to Application Number **880-0197** Renewal #1 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Laurel Mountain Resources LLC, 1374 HWY 192 E., London, KY 40741 has applied for a renewal for an surface coal mining and reclamation operation affecting 247.71 acres located 3 miles northwest of the community of Tomahawk in Martin, Johnson and Lawrence counties. The operation is

located 3 miles northwest of the community of Tomahawk in Martin, Johnson and Lawrence Counties. The operation is approximately 3 miles west from Kentucky Route 40's junction with Kentucky Route 1224. The operation is located along the ridges between Laurel Fork of Nats Creek and Home Fork and Wolf Pen Branch of Chestnut Creek in Lawrence and Johnson Counties. The operation is located on the Milo, Inez, Offutt, and Richardson USGS 7 minute quadrangle maps. The operation will use the surface area method of surface mining. The surface area is owned by Lefe S. Hinkle, II, Trustee, et. al; Family Tree Properties, LLC; James and Lavonne Williamson; and Joshua and Joy Ratliff. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources Division of Mine Reclamation & Enforcements Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. (3/13, 3/20, 3/37, 4/3 chg)

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**NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE** C O M M O N - WEALTH OF

KENTUCKY LAWRENCE CIRCUIT COURT C.A. NO. 11-CI-00377 TAX EASE LIEN SERVICING, LLC PLAINTIFF VS: U N K N O W N HEIRS BENEFICIARIES, AND/OR NEXT OF KIN OF MERTIE VANOVER AND THEIR UNK N O W N SPOUSES, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS OF 570 LEWIS FORK RD., IF ANY; JAMES O. BURCHETT, FAMILY FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK N/A THE FIRST COMMONWEALTH BANK OF PRESTONS-BURG, INC.; KENTUCKY TAX BILL SERVICING, INC., KY LIEN HOLDINGS, LLC and C O M M O N - WEALTH OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF LAWRENCE DEFENDANTS Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale rendered in the above-styled action on February

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held on April 9, 2013 at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, at the office of the Kentucky Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Boulevard in Frankfort, KY, for the purpose of Cross Examination of witnesses of Kentucky Power and Intervenors in An Examination of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Kentucky Power Company From November 1, 2010 through October 31, 2012. Lila P. Munsey, Manager Regulatory Services Kentucky Power Company

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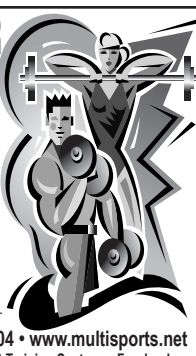
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25, 2013, for the sum of two thousand two hundred sixty-eight dollars and ninety-five cents (\$2,268.95), plus interest and other costs and expenses, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the front door of the Lawrence County Courthouse in Louisa, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on Thursday, April 4, 2013, at or about the hour of 11:00 a.m. the following described property, lying and being in Lawrence County, Kentucky, to-wit: Real property located at 570 Lewis Fork Road, Martha, Lawrence County, Kentucky 41159, Parcel/Map ID# 002-00-00-010.00 and is more particularly described as follows: Beginning on a Willow near the creek approximately 200 yards above the W.A. Ferguson house; thence traveling a distance of 435 feet past a small white oak; thence up the point a NE course with the C.C. Collier's line; thence turning NW at a 90 degree angle and running parallel to the creek that separates the Mertie Vanover property from the C.C. Collier property a distance of 500 feet; thence turning SW at a 90 degree angle and running a distance of 435 feet to the creek that separates the Mertie Vanover and C.C. Collier property; thence turning SE and running along the creek a distance of 500 feet to the point of beginning. (Being a rectangular lot of approximately 5 acres with equal dimensions on a smaller side of the rectangle being 435 feet and equal dimensions on the longer side of the rectangle being 500 feet and encompassing the house once owned by W.A. Ferguson as referred to in the source property description.) Being the same property reserved by Mertie Vanover in a Deed dated May 10, 1996, of record in Deed Book 229, Page 517, of the Lawrence County Clerk's Office.

**TERMS OF SALE:**

1. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiff Tax Ease Lien Servicing, LLC or its affiliates, successors or assigns, at the time of sale, shall either pay cash or make a deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

2. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiff Tax Ease Lien Servicing, LLC or its affiliates, successors or assigns, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment upon which execution may issue, if not paid at maturity; and a lien shall be retained upon the real property above described as additional security.

3. The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Lawrence County Clerk's Office and such right of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. or KRS 426.530.

4. The property shall be sold subject to any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property.

5. The property shall be sold subject to any assessments for public improvements levied against the property.

6. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all real property taxes or assessments upon the property for the calendar year 2013 and all subsequent years.

**T. NELSON SPARKS MASTER COMMISSIONER LAWRENCE COUNTY COURT** (3/20, 3/27, 4/3 chg) \*\*\*\*\*

**SUMMARY LEGAL NOTICE OF ORDINANCE NUISANCE ORDINANCE NO. 04-007 AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 13-001**

An Ordinance to amend the current Nuisance Ordinance to change Section I - definition regarding height of fence Pursuant to the provisions of KRS 67.0777 (2), The Lawrence County Fiscal Court hereby gives Summary Notice of an Ordinance amending the current Ordinance No. 04-007, to reflect the height of a fence to be changed from eight foot to six foot. A full copy of the Ordinance is available for inspection and copying at the Lawrence County Judge Executive Office. The proposed Ordinance was reviewed and accepted for passage of the second reading on March 18, 2013 at 9:30 a.m. at the regular Lawrence County Fiscal Court meeting on the second floor of the Lawrence County Courthouse, Louisa, Kentucky 41230. (3/20, 3/27 chg) \*\*\*\*\*

**SURPLUS LIST**

1. 1996 Dodge D-150 vin #1b7hc16y6ts664549 - frame broken & needs exhaust, runs gmc; 2. 1996 GMC 8500 single axel vin # 1 g d p7h1j0vj500124 - 135,000 miles - no bed, does not run; 3. 1998 F-150 pickup vin # 1 f t r f - 1766wnb50650 - bad motor & transmission; 4. 1996 F-350 4x4 dump diesel vin # 2 f d k f 3 8 f z t - ca25539; 5. 1997 F-350 4x4 dump gas vin # 1 f d k f 3 8 g x - vea63610 - no title; 6. 1990 Dodge tool truck vin # 186ke265025739066; 7. D6D Dozer Serial #4x3283 - 2296 hours - starting bid \$18,000; 8. Four Post 1200 pd Electric Over-Air Floor Lift; 9. 30 ft. Drop Neck Trailer - needs hydraulic lines - starting bid \$5,000; 10. 38 ft. Dove Tail Trailer, 30 ft. deck, 25 ton - bad breaking system, starting bid \$4,000; 11. Hunter Brand 2 Air over Hydraulic Jacks, 8,000 lbs. each - starting bid \$750; 12. Model #311 Hunter Computer Alignment machine - starting bid \$1,000.

For information please contact the County Judge's Office at 606-638-4102. Bids will be opened and awarded at the regularly scheduled meeting on April 15th at 9:30 a.m.

The County has the right to select the lowest and/or best quote that is in the best interest of the County. Bids that are in substantial compliance with the advertisement shall be considered. (3/20, 3/27 chg) \*\*\*\*\*

**NOTICE OF**

**PUBLIC HEARING** (Pursuant to 401KAR5:006 Section 4 & 5; KRS-424, and 40 CFR 25, 5 & 6) The City of Louisa, Kentucky, PO Box 608, 215 N Main Cross Street, Louisa, KY 41230 & Louisa Water and Sewer Commission, 35 Jay Lane, Louisa KY 41230 have drafted a 20-year Regional Facilities Plan Update (RFP) containing wastewater requirements for collection and treatment and its cost, within the planning area, as described therein, to be served. Interested citizens may obtain further information including copies of the draft RFP by visiting the Louisa Water and Sewer Commission office at the above given address between the hours of 9 AM and 4 PM, Monday through Friday. A public hearing will be held on April 9, 2013 at 6:00 PM at the City Hall (address above). The purpose of the hearing is to discuss the draft plan and its contents, specifically the alternatives, project cost, financing sources, user charges and hook up/tap fees. This project may affect sewer rates in the future. The public is encouraged to attend this meeting and shall have a right to comment on the plan for a period of 30 days from the date of publication of this notice by writing to the above address or before the termination of the hearing whichever is later. A longer comment period may be requested in writing. All persons who believe any condition of the draft plan is inappropriate, inaccurate, incomplete, or otherwise not in the best interest of the public and the environment must raise all reasonable issues and submit all reasonable arguments, facts, and comments with supporting documents to the above given contact person. (3/27 chg)

# REGIONAL JOB MARKET

## March 26

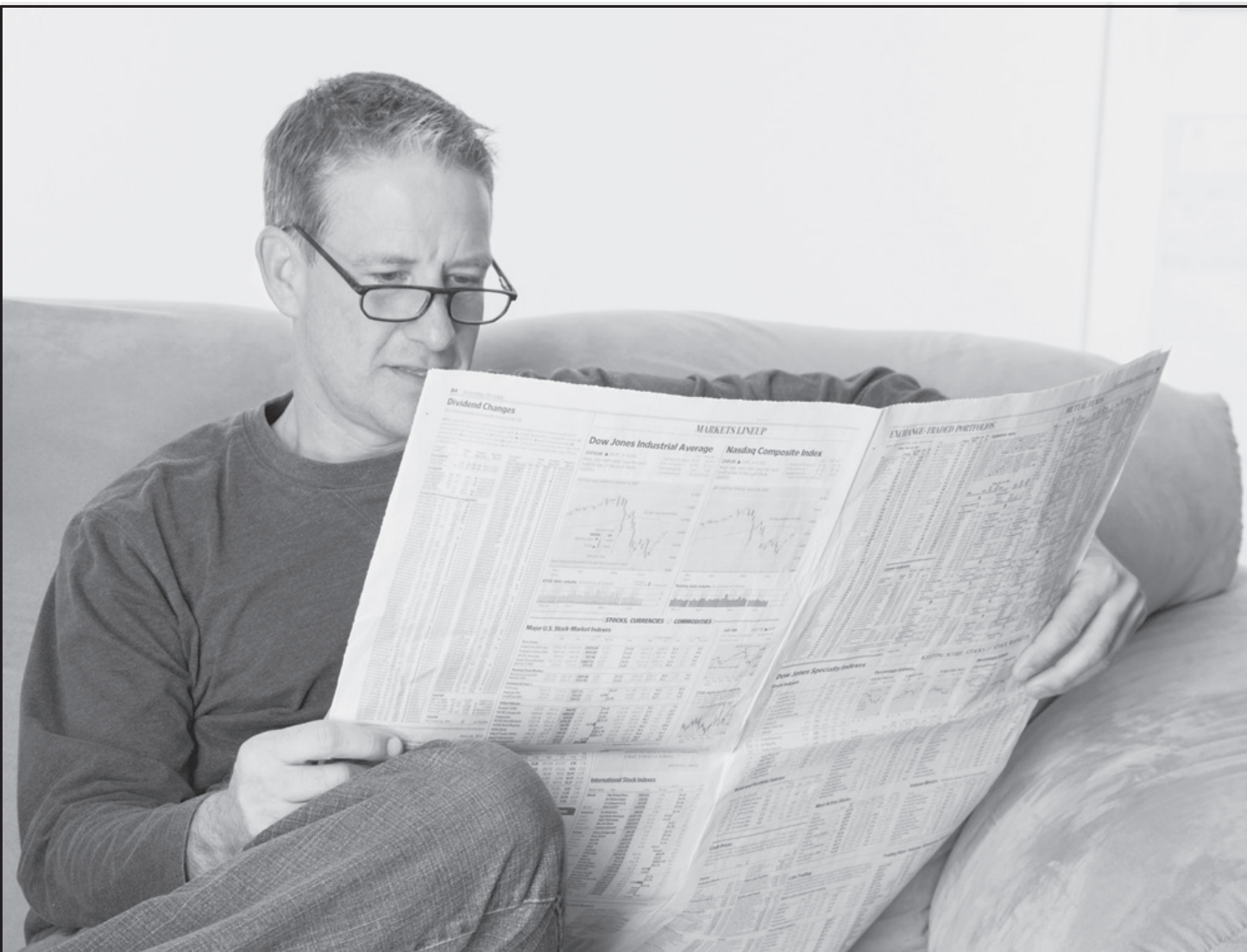
■ Route Sales Representative Trainee - Prestonsburg: FT, Ref. # KY0480745

## March 20

- Purchasing Agent - Paintsville: FT, 12 months experience, Ref. # KY0480353 and KY0480251
- Domestic Coordinator - Paintsville: PT, \$7.25/hour, Ref. 3 KY0480214
- Farm Laborer - Paintsville: PT, Ref. # KY0480081
- Store Clerk/Warehouse - Paintsville: FT, \$8.00-\$9.00/hour, Ref. # KY0480013
- Mechanic - Paintsville: FT, Ref. # KY0479497 and KY0479819
- Low-Boy Truck Driver - Paintsville: FT, Ref. # KY0479030
- Employment Specialist - Paintsville: FT, Ref. # KY0478435
- Quality Control/Compaction Technician - Paintsville: FT, Ref. # KY0478370
- Counselor/Case Manager - Prestonsburg: FT, Ref. # KY0480342
- Grounds Maintenance Worker - Prestonsburg: FT, \$8.00/hour, Ref. # KY0480043
- Sales Manager - Prestonsburg: FT, Ref. # KY0479548
- Dish Washer - Prestonsburg: PT, Ref. # KY0479416
- Server/Food - Prestonsburg: PT, Ref. # KY0479414
- Counter Salesperson - Prestonsburg: FT, Ref. # KY0479744
- Mechanic - Prestonsburg: FT, Ref. # KY0479740
- Front Desk Clerk - Prestonsburg: FT, Ref. # KY0478638
- Residential Care Provider - Prestonsburg: FT, Ref. # KY0479029
- Customer Service Representative/From Home - Prestonsburg: FT, Ref. # KY0478848
- Driver - West Liberty: FT, Ref. # KY0479984

For more details on the above job listings, visit <http://oet.ky.gov> or go to your local employment office.

In Lawrence, Boyd, Carter, Elliott, or Greenup Counties visit the Ashland office or call 606-920-2003; in Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, or Martin Counties visit the Prestonsburg office or call 606-889-1776; or visit the Pike County office or call 606-433-7723.



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# Communities

## 7 best smartphones for you to buy

by Kim Komando

Kim Komando hosts the nation's largest talk radio show about consumer electronics, computers and the Internet.



If you're ready to drop some money on one of the latest and greatest smartphones, you have some great choices - too many, in fact.

Turbocharged quad-core processors and wireless charging have nearly become standard on top-of-the-line Android phones. As always, the latest iPhone and its gorgeous screen and vast ecosystem of content is worth your consideration. For those looking to break free of iOS or Android altogether, the underrated Windows Phone 8 awaits.

How can you possibly decide? I've rounded up the 7 best smartphones available and I'll tell you what makes them good.

For a more detailed comparison of these and even more smartphones, you can visit the up-to-date smartphone comparison chart on my site. Don't forget my tablet comparison chart if you're in the market for one of those.

### HTC One

Honed from a slab of aluminum, this 4G LTE flagship from HTC vows on looks and specs. It features a high-resolution 4.7-inch screen, 32 or 64 GB of storage, and is powered by a quad-core processor.

HTC also worked hard on customizing the latest version of the Android operating system, Jelly Bean. The BlinkFeed feature gives you a live-updated home screen similar to Windows Phone 8. You pick the social networks and news feeds you want to stay tuned into.

While other phone makers race to up camera megapixel counts, HTC went in the other direction with the One's UltraPixel Camera. It has fewer megapixels, but a bigger sensor than other smartphones. If you love to shoot in low light or at night, you should give the One a serious look.

Cost: Not known yet. Available in April at AT&T, T-Mobile and Sprint.

### iPhone 5

Apple's flagship smartphone - introduced last September - has a 4-inch Retina screen and the ability to connect to 4G LTE networks from Verizon, AT&T and Sprint.

Because of the new Lightning dock connector and dual-core A6 processor, the iPhone 5 is notably slimmer than the 4S and twice as fast.

The rear camera's sensor matches the 4S in size, 8 megapixels, but captures much better pictures in low-light situations.

For many users, the iPhone 5's best feature will be access to the App Store, which is rapidly approaching the milestone of 1 million apps.

Cost: \$199 (16GB); \$299 (32GB); \$399 (64GB) with 2-year contract.

Apple also sells an unlocked, contract-free iPhone 5 starting at \$649. It only works on GSM networks, such as AT&T in the U.S. Learn how a no-contract phone can save you money in the long run.

### HTC 8X

Want something different than iOS or Android? The Windows Phone 8 operating system is a good place to look. Its unique "live tile" home screen is a definite winner.

If you want to try it out, the HTC 8X with 4.3-inch display is an excellent choice.

This sleek and compact phone boasts a speedy dual-core processor and 1GB RAM on the inside, which is a big improvement over past Windows

See **BUY**, Page A12

## Big Sandy Chapter SAR to hold April meet

The Kentucky Society Sons of the American Revolution (KYSSAR) annual spring meeting was Saturday, March 9, 2013 in Florence with 18 statewide chapters reporting. The Big Sandy Chapter was represented by Dr. Larry Leslie, president; Samuel Hatcher, treasurer; Roger Ratliff, secretary; Jason Reichenbach, chancellor; and Gary Howard, registrar and KYSSAR vice president for 2012.

KYSSAR President Harry D. Geimeier presented awards to the Big Sandy SAR Chapter for gaining more new members, 39, more than any KYSSAR chapter in 2012. Registrar Gary Howard received the Grady R. Rowntree Award for the chapter's growth and the Colgan Norman Award for the chapter's largest growth percentage, 118 percent. The Big Sandy Chapter now has 71 members.

Additionally, two Big Sandy Chapter members were sworn in as KYSSAR officers for 2013: Dr Larry M. Leslie, Prestonsburg, is state surgeon, and attorney

Jason C. Reichenbach, Paintsville, is state chancellor.

"This is an honor and a first for the Big Sandy Chapter to have two members elected and installed as state officers," registrar Gary Howard said.

A special chapter meeting is scheduled for April 13 at 10 a.m. at Jenny Wiley May Lodge, Prestonsburg. The Big Sandy SAR had its first winning student essay entered in the Knight Essay contest for 2012. This is a statewide contest to pick one essay to enter the national contest. Big Sandy's entry came in third statewide and will be recognized and presented with various medals and awards at the April meeting.

To learn more about the local SAR chapter, the public is urged to attend the April meeting. All SAR members are descendants of Patriots involved in the American Revolutionary War. Anyone interested in becoming a member may contact Gary Howard at grant7339@bellsouth.net.

## POP TOP



**JACE CONLEY**, A second grade student at Central Elementary in Johnson County, has been "collecting pop tabs all year," according to fellow students and teachers. He was visited last week by local McDonalds owner/operator Bob Hutchison, who wanted to thank Jace personally for his collection of nearly 1,000 pop tabs to be donated to the Huntington Ronald McDonald House. Ronald McDonald House Charities is a non-profit organization that supplies a "safe haven" for families with sick children, giving them a place to stay when they need it the most. McDonald's of East Kentucky has provided pop tab collection canisters in many of their local schools for students to be able to have a place to bring the tabs that they have saved. Jace is the son of Stephanie Conley of Boons Camp. Pictured left to right are Central Elementary principal Steve Young, Bob Hutchison and Jace Conley.

## Survivor dinner planned for June

**STAFFORDSVILLE** — Johnson County cancer survivors will gather Friday, June 7, at 6 p.m. for a celebratory dinner to honor them, along with the American Cancer Society's mission to create a world with less cancer and more birthdays.

This year, the American Cancer Society is celebrating 100 years and the fact that two out of every three people diagnosed with cancer become survivors.

The dinner will be held at the Mountain HomePlace at Paintsville Lake. To register to attend the survivor dinner, call the American Cancer Society office at 606-325-8251.

To participate in the Relay For Life of Johnson County event June 7 or for volunteer opportunities, contact Andrea Arnett at 606-325-8251 or Andrea.Arnett@cancer.org or visit [www.relayforlife.org/johnsonky](http://www.relayforlife.org/johnsonky).

## Schedule released for Holy Week

**PAINTSVILLE** — The Johnson County/Paintsville Ministerial Association will hold its annual Holy Week services through March 31.

Lunch will be served each day at 11:45 a.m., with services beginning at 12:20 p.m.

The schedule for the remainder of the week is Wednesday, March 27, Mayo Methodist Church, John Hatton; Thursday, March 28, First Baptist Church, Wayne Cornett; and Friday, March 29,

First Christian Church, Wes Stedtefeld.

Sunrise services will be held March 31 at 7 a.m. at Preston Park on Broadway in Paintsville with John Back of Oil Springs Methodist Church and Dan Heaberlin of Church of God.

The community is welcome to attend all services during Holy Week. For more information, call First Christian Church at 606-789-4480 between 7:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

## BANK RECOGNIZED



**THE LAWRENCE COUNTY HUMANE** Society recently recognized employees and customers of Louisa Community Bank for their "generous support" of the Lawrence County Humane Society Animal Shelter during 2012.

## HRMC introduces new phone system

**PRESTONSBURG** — Highlands Health System announces the introduction of a new digital phone system.

Installed at Highlands' locations within the region, the new system, Mitel 5330, is the latest technology in Internet protocol (IP) based telephones. Highlands made the choice to use this technology when faced with the growing needs of the existing system.

"We have expanded our facilities throughout the region" said Bud Warman, president & CEO of Highlands, "and our communications needs have expanded as well."

Highlands, which operates clinics and medical offices in the four surrounding counties, has seen communications needs grow with its patient base, he said.

"Our patients and other customers want fast and easy

access to information, and we need to deliver that," Warman said.

The new system provides callers with menu options that reduce call wait time. Additional internal extensions have been added to allow direct dialing to many departments in the hospitals, as well as patient rooms.

"Each patient will now have a unique phone number during their stay with us" said Maxanna Cook, Highlands Health System director of marketing and public relations. "Families and friends will be able to call directly to the bedside." Highlands' phone extensions will now be displayed via caller ID on external lines as well. This allows someone to know exactly who may have attempted to call them from any Highlands' facility.

The new phone system is a

big efficiency booster inside the organization as well. Departments can reach each other in a number of new ways, including mobile access. These new features can improve communication between caregivers, which leads to better patient care, Cook said.

"One of the biggest safety factors in healthcare is adequate communication" Cook said. "Our goal is to keep improving safety and efficiency for our patients."

Highlands was to have the system fully live Tuesday, March 26. The main number to the hospital will remain (606) 886-8511. Highlands can also be reached from each of the surrounding counties without long distance charges: Johnson, 789-6548; Magoffin, 349-6100; Martin, 298-7802; and Pike, 437-6921.

## Technology sure has changed!



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# Community Calendar

Send your BSN Community Calendar notices to: The Big Sandy News Community Calendar, P.O. Box 766, Louisa, Ky. 41230 or by e-mail to: [brenda@bigsandynews.com](mailto:brenda@bigsandynews.com) or by fax to: (606) 638-9949.

## Wednesday, March 27

Big Sandy Area Community Action Program will host a free workshop, "Getting the Most out of Your Garden," at 2 p.m., at the Roy F. Collier Community Center in Inez. Melissa Stepp will be the speaker; and Friday, March 29, Johnson County Extension office, 10 a.m., Brian Jeffers will be the speaker.

Cornerstone Christian Counseling group therapy is every Wednesday, 1 p.m., at 203 S. Water Street, Suite 101, Louisa. New clients are welcome. For information, call 606-638-3322, Monday-Wednesday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

## Thursday, March 28

The Johnson County Public Library will be discussing the book, "Can't Wait to Get to Heaven", from 12:10-12:50 p.m. Please bring your own sack lunch and drink. To reserved a book, or for more information, call 606-789-4355.

## Friday, March 29

Big Sandy Area Community Action Program will host a free workshop, "Getting the Most out of Your Garden," at 10 a.m. at the Johnson County Extension Office. Brian Jeffers will be the speaker.

The annual Growing Up Safe (GUS) luncheon will be at 11:30 a.m. at the Ramada, Paintsville, honoring those individuals that work tirelessly protecting the children of the community. For more information, or to RSVP, call 606-788-7088 or 788-7085.

## Saturday, March 30

The Lawrence County Genealogical and Historical Society will meet at 10 a.m., at the Blaine Community Center, Rt. 32, west of Blaine. Please bring pictures, genealogical and historical information. The public is invited to attend.

## Monday, April 1

The Cooper/Clayton Method to Stop Smoking classes are on-going at Saint Joseph-Martin every Monday, at 10:30 a.m., in the Sexton Complex lower level conference room. For information, call 606-285-6691.

## Tuesday, April 2

There will be an informational meeting to discuss becoming a foster/adoptive parents thru the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, 6-8:30 p.m., at the Johnson County Protection and Permanency office, 205 Main Street, Paintsville. This is a question and answer meeting to help you decide if foster/adopting is right for you. The approval process will also be discussed. For information, call 606-788-7100, or 606-349-3123, ext. 214.

## Miscellaneous

The East Kentucky Fishers of Men Team series begins on Saturday, March 30, at Grayson Lake; Saturday, April 13, at Yatesville Lake; Saturday, April 27, at Paintsville Lake; Saturday, May 25, at Cave Run Lake; Saturday, June 8, on the Ohio River. Legacy Series is Saturday, June 1, at Yatesville Lake; and Saturday, June 22, at Paintsville Lake. For information, call 859-498-8169.

Paintsville High School is now taking nominations for electing two (2) parents to serve on the site-based decision making council. Nominations will be taken in the office of Paintsville High School, thru Friday, March 29, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Elections will be held Monday, April 8, from 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Johnson County Cooperative Extension Service, 826 F.M. Stafford Ave., Paintsville, has announced its calendar of events for April. Photography Workshop Series: Session #1, April 9, 4-5:30 p.m., Session #2, April 23, 4-5:30 p.m. Space is available for the first 30 children ages 9-18. Both sessions are free, but you must provide your own digital camera. A Photo Gallery Exhibit and Contest will be held May 7, 6 p.m., at the Country Music Highway Museum. For information, call 606-789-8108.

A Veterans benefits field representative will be at the Floyd

County Public Library, Prestonsburg, Wednesday, April 3, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. This is a free service to veterans and their dependents. For information, call 866-647-2926.

The Young at Heart Relay for Life Team will be having a Relay for Life yard sale, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, April 3-4-5, at the Elkhorn Creek Community Center, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Hospice of Huntington will offer "Children Helping Children" for bereaved children, and an "Adults Helping Children" class, Thursday, April 4, 6 p.m.; "Coping with the Death of a Child" class will be Monday, April 8, 2 p.m.; and the monthly "Transition support group" will be held Wednesday, April 17, 10:30 a.m. All classes are held at 1101 6th Avenue, Huntington, W.Va. For information, call 304-529-4217, or 800-788-5480.

The Big Sandy Council on elder maltreatment will meet on Thursday, April 4, 10 a.m., at the Big Sandy Area Development District, 110 Resource Court, Prestonsburg. 606-886-2374, ext. 335.

There will be a support group for guardians of autism children on Thursday, April 4, 7 p.m., at the Haven of Rest, 1601 Airport Road, Inez. For information, call 606-298-0520.

The Victorious Women Annual Spring Retreat will be held April 5-7, at the Ramada Inn and Conference Center, Paintsville. All ladies 13 and older are welcome to attend. The guest speaker will be Jeanette Clift George. For information, call 606-789-2499.

An Autism Walk will be held Saturday, April 6, at 11 a.m., starting and ending at the downtown parking lot, Prestonsburg. For information, call 606-226-3003, or [eastkyautismawareness@gmail.com](mailto:eastkyautismawareness@gmail.com).

See **CALENDAR**, Page A13

## Staff Sgt. Maynard returns to U.S.

Army Staff Sgt. Alexander E. Maynard has returned to the U.S. after being deployed overseas at a forward operating base to serve in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.

Operation Enduring Freedom is the official name given to anti-terrorism military operations involving U.S. troops and allied coalition partners. Active duty and reserve component members from all branches of the U.S. armed forces have been deployed to support the war against global terrorism outside the borders

of the United States. U.S. troops serve in South, Southwest and Central Asia, the Arabian Peninsula, the Horn of Africa, islands in the Pacific, and Europe.

Maynard is a squad leader assigned to the 4th Airborne Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division at Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, Alaska. He has served in the military for eight years. He is the son of Ann and Larry Maynard of Inez, is a 2003 graduate of Allen Central High School, Eastern.

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## BIG SANDY IDOL '13



**JERICA GRIMM OF** Johnson Central High School is the winner of Big Sandy Idol 2013, held March 8-9 at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg.

## BUY: (Continued from A11)

Phone units. Plus, it's 4G LTE-capable.

The Windows Phone 8 operating system has far fewer apps available for it, compared to iOS and Android, but you'll stay productive with mobile versions of Excel, Word, OneNote and PowerPoint. The built-in People Hub keeps all your social media feeds organized in handy place.

Non-expandable storage maxes out at 16GB, but that can be extended with Microsoft's SkyDrive cloud storage service.

Cost: \$100 (16GB), with a 2-year Verizon or AT&T contract; \$130 with a 2-year T-Mobile contract.

Although thicker and heavier, the Nokia Lumia 920 (\$100, AT&T) is another great option for Windows Phone fans.

### Nexus 4

Launched last November, this popular unlocked phone from Google and LG has a 4.7-inch display. How popular is it? It's often back-ordered 1 to 2 weeks!

The wait is worth it, though.

The combination of quad-core processor and stock Android Jelly Bean - unencumbered with carrier "extras" - make the Nexus 4 a very snappy smartphone.

Although it's limited to HSPA+ "4G" connectivity, that's fast enough for an average user. Note that it will only work on GSM networks like AT&T and T-Mobile.

The previous version of the Nexus had a so-so 5MP camera. The 4's 8MP camera is a lot better and more fun, especially when taking panoramas. Both vertical and horizontal images can be stitched into stunning Photo Sphere pictures.

Cost, unlocked from Google: \$299 (8GB); \$349 (\$16GB). T-Mobile is currently selling the Nexus 4 for \$50 (Web-only, after a mail-in

rebate of \$50) with a 2-year contract.

### Samsung Galaxy Note II

There were a few jeers when Samsung unveiled the Galaxy Note II, a "phablet" (phone + tablet) with a gigantic 5.5-inch screen that includes an advanced S Pen stylus. Despite that, it has become a top choice of many mobile business users who need 4G connectivity and like to quickly jot down notes, make annotations and run two apps side by side.

The Galaxy Note II features a quad-core processor and runs on Android Jelly Bean. You can expand the 16GB or 32GB of internal storage up to an additional 64GB using a microSD card.

Cost: \$300 (16GB) with 2-year contract from Sprint, Verizon and AT&T; \$369 with T-Mobile contract.

### Samsung Galaxy S4

The Samsung Galaxy is the phone line that grabbed attention away from the iPhone and shifted it toward Android.

The 4G LTE Galaxy S4 is the best version yet. With its polycarbonate shell available in white or gray, it looks a lot like the S III, but the S4 is lighter and thinner and features an expanded 5-inch HD screen, 13 MP rear camera and faster quad-core processor.

Samsung integrated a ton of useful, customized software features into the 4.2.2 Android Jelly Bean operating system. S Translator allows you to converse in 10 different languages while using email or the ChatOn instant messaging app. With S Health, fitness buffs can turn the phone into a pedometer and calorie-counter. In the car, control the phone hands-free with S Voice Drive.

Infrared technology allows users to tilt the phone up or down to scroll. You can also use your finger like an S Pen, but there's no need to actually touch the screen - just hover

slightly above it. A video will pause if you look away from the screen and resume when you look back. The IR capability, by the way, also puts the S4 to work as TV remote.

Choose storage of 16, 32 or 64 GB, which can be expanded with up to a 64 GB microSD card.

Cost: Not known yet. Available in late April at AT&T, Verizon, Sprint and T-Mobile.

### LG Optimus G

LG proved it can still make a splash in the smartphone world with the Optimus G, a close cousin of the Nexus 4.

Sprint's version features a powerful 13MP camera, although AT&T's model is no slouch at 8MP. Sprint's model has 32 GB of non-expandable storage, while AT&T's 16GB Optimus can be expanded via microSD card.

Either way, you'll get a

blazing fast quad-core processor, 2GB of RAM and a nice 4.7-inch display.

Right now, the Optimus G is stuck on Android Ice Cream Sandwich, but it should get an update to the newer Jelly Bean soon.

Cost: \$50 (\$32GB) with a 2-year Sprint contract, new line only; \$100 (16GB) with a 2-year AT&T contract.

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# Community Calendar

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The Cherryville Volunteer Fire Department will have their monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 9, at 6 p.m., at the department. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The Lawrence County Livestock Club will meet at 5:30 p.m., Thursday, April 11, at the Lawrence County Extension office, 249 Industrial Park Road, Louisa. The club is working with goats. Youths ages 5-19 can participate. For information, call 606-673-9495.

Foster parenting class meeting #1 will begin April 11, 5:30-8:30 p.m., thru June 13, at the Johnson County Protection and Permanency office, 205 Main Street, Paintsville. There are 10 required classes you must attend. Classes will be held on Thursday nights. For information, call 606-788-7100, or 606-349-3123, ext. 214.

Pride Clean-up will be held April 11-13, in Lawrence County, 9 a.m.-noon. Dumpsters will be located at the County garage and available for use during these days. Groups or individuals interested in participating, call the Judge's office at 606-638-4102. A cookout will be hosted by the Lawrence County Extension Office after the event.

Porter Elementary School is now accepting applications for new kindergarten and first-sixth grade students. Packets may be picked up at the main office of the school between 7:15 a.m.-3:30 p.m., each day. A Kindergarten Orientation/Registration will be held Tuesday, April 23, 6-7 p.m., in the school library. For information, call 606-789-2545.

The Lawrence County Humane Society will have its annual "Walk For the Animals" on Saturday, April 27, at Louisa Main Street Park, across from the library. Activities begin at 8:30 a.m. For information, call 606-615-0469, or email: leonikaallen@hotmail.com.

The Septemberfest Committee is looking for new members. Plans are already underway for the 2013 festival, in downtown Louisa. If you are interested, please call 606-638-0334, 606-793-1842, or 304-648-3033. If no answer, leave message.

Basic sewing classes are held at the OSCAR Center, Oil Springs, at 5 p.m. For information, or to register, call 606-789-8108.

The Southeast Kentucky Chamber of Commerce is now located in the Garfield House, 178 College Street, Pikeville. Phone numbers are the same,

877-738-4400 (tollfree), 606-432-5504, or 606-432-7295 (fax).

The Big Sandy Community and Technical College and Kentucky Coal Academy on the Hager Hill campus will offer underground retraining, Friday, March 22, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; and 8-hour mine emergency technician retraining, Saturday, March 30, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. To register, or for more information, call 606-788-2940, 788-2946, or email MBLAIR0031@kctcs.edu.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will offer Nursing Assistant Skills I courses on the Prestonsburg and Pikeville campuses. Several dates available; CDL truck driving courses and CDL refresher course offered, Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m.-4 p.m., on the Hager Hill Campus, room 117; and plumbing continuing education and safety awareness courses on the Mayo Campus. For information, or to register, call 606-889-4769.

The Big Sandy Area Community Action Program provides free tax preparation services to households earning less than \$50,000. Tax preparation will be at the Johnson County Courthouse, Martin County, and Magoffin County Courthouse. For information, call 606-789-3641 (Johnson County), 606-349-2217 (Magoffin County), and 606-

298-3217 (Martin County).

Christian Counseling remains open at the Riverview building, 203 South Water Street, Suite 101, Louisa, Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. 606-638-9644.

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The Johnson County Health Department is having a "Quit Smoking Program". NTR is provided during your cessation program. For information, call 606-789-2590 ext. 306.

Benchmark Family Services is offering Free weekly foster care trainings. For information, call 606-886-0163 or www.benchmarkfamilyservices.org.

Safe Harbor of Northeast Kentucky in Ashland will be doing voluntary income tax assistance thru Friday, April 12. Services are available by appointment only, 606-329-9304.

Zumba with Jennifer West Pannell will be held on Mondays, 5:30-6:30 p.m., at First Baptist Church of Louisa; Tuesdays, 6-7, and Wednesdays, 5-6 p.m., at Louisa West Elementary School. For infor-

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Dog, cat and kennel tags are now available for sale at the Lawrence County Animal Shelter in Louisa. For information, call 606-673-4509.

The Johnson County Job Club of Eastern Kentucky will meet every Tuesday at 11 a.m., at the E-Center, 320 Second Street, Paintsville. New member orientation is at 10:30 a.m. The club is free. For information, call 606-789-2857.

Stafford House the oldest historical house in Paintsville has tours by appointment. Hours are Friday, noon-6 p.m.; and Saturday, noon-3 p.m. For information, or appointment, call 606-789-8108.

The Auxier Center is now taking home repair applications for the 2013 spring and summer season. You must meet income eligibility and ownership guidelines. For information, call 606-789-8108. The center is located at 21 South River Street, Auxier. Free GED classes are held every Monday and Wednesday, 1-4 p.m., at the Hand in Hand Ministry Center, Auxier.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College Professor Matthew Smith will be taking students and community members to Amsterdam, Paris, and London in June, 2013. The trip is sponsored by EF Tours and

will include all the major sites in these three historical cities. The trip will be 10 days. For information, call 859-421-1603, or email: msmith0588@kctcs.edu.

The Big Sandy Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program is currently seeking volunteers to serve as friendly visitors or certified ombudsman volunteers. An ombudsman is an advocate for residents of nursing homes, personal care homes, and family care homes. In addition to visiting long-term care facilities on a regular basis, an ombudsman strives to provide information and resolve complaints on behalf of residents. The Big Sandy Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program serves all long-term care residents in the Big Sandy area. A vital component of the Ombudsman Program is its volunteers. Volunteers provide community accountability to facilities. Volunteers can also be used to make friendly visits to residents and, after becoming certified, can handle complaints.

If you would like to be involved in improving the quality of care and life of residents of long-term care facilities or would like more information on becoming a volunteer, please contact Misty Pugh at 1-800-737-2723, extension 335, or send an e-mail to misty.pugh@big-sandy.org.



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# Sports

## Bulldogs blank Fleming Co., limit Belfry, move to 6-0

LOUISA — The Lawrence County High School baseball team posted a pair of wins last week to move to 6-0.

Lawrence County blanked Fleming County 3-0 at home and defeated host Belfry 3-1.

### Lawrence County 3, Fleming County 0

Senior Ryan Kingsmore was 2-for-3 with a run and four of his teammates delivered one hit apiece to lead Lawrence County to a 3-0 win over 61st District powerhouse Fleming County Wednesday evening.

The Bulldogs broke open a scoreless game in the bottom half of the sixth inning, scoring three runs to move ahead 3-0.

Junior Joe Wallen and senior Brandon Stevens combined to pitch a shutout for the Lawrence County baseball team. Wallen allowed three hits in four innings while working out of a starting role. The Lawrence County starting pitcher registered 11 strikeouts.

Stevens pitched three

innings, allowed two hits and recording five strikeouts.

Skylar Salyer, Adam Cavins, Brock Turner and Stevens each had one hit for the Bulldogs. Salyer and Stevens both had a double.

Defensively, Lawrence County committed one error.

Fleming County had five hits in the loss. The Panthers went error-free in the short effort.

### Lawrence County 3, Belfry 1

Lawrence County claimed its sixth win of the season on Friday, defeating host Belfry 3-1.

With the win, Lawrence County moved to 6-0.

Belfry dropped to 0-2 following the loss.

The visiting Bulldogs scored the game's first run in the top half of the first inning. After Belfry answered with a run of its own in the bottom half of the opening inning, Lawrence County crossed home plate again in the fourth and fifth innings.

Lawrence County scored

its three runs on five hits.

Senior pitcher Ryan Kingsmore, an Alice Lloyd College signee, earned the win. Kingsmore recorded seven strikeouts in six innings.

Freshman Austin Bailey earned the save after recording three strikeouts in the final inning.

Senior Cory Cline paced the Lawrence County offense as he went 2-for-3. Adam Cavins, Joe Wallen and Brandon Stevens each had one hit for the Bulldogs.

Kingsmore, Cline and Noah Lambert each had a run for Lawrence County in the victory.

Belfry committed two errors in the loss.



**PAINTSVILLE'S TOMMY MCCORMICK** tried for an out in the Tigers' matchup with Sheldon Clark on March 19. The Cardinals won the game 9-3. *Photo/Shawn Thompson*

## Eagles upend Boyd Co.

CANNONSBURG — Visiting Johnson Central claimed a hard-fought win Friday night, defeating host Boyd County 4-1 at Addington Field in a matchup of two of the area's top high school baseball teams.

With the win, Johnson Central improved to 3-1. The Golden Eagles returned to the win column following a 2-3 loss to 14th Region title contender Powell County six days earlier.

Boyd County dropped to 2-1 after suffering the loss. The Lions had compiled back-to-back wins prior to suffering the setback.

Johnson Central, under the direction of veteran head coach Shawn Hall, plated four runs via six hits. The Golden Eagles overcame two errors in the field.

Johnson Central won, despite leaving 12 runners on base.

Johnson Central pitchers Quade Ward, Josh Hitchcock and Bo Robbins combined to pitch a three-hitter.

Hitchcock was earned the win. Robbins picked up the save after pitching a 1-2-3 seventh inning.

Johnson Central plated three runs in the top half of the seventh inning to secure the win.

Offensively, Robbins, Jimmy Preston, Garrett LeMaster, Geordan Blanton and Zack Slone helped to pace Johnson Central.

Johnson Central scored first in the top half half of the second inning and never trailed. The Golden Eagles, however, found themselves deadlocked with host Boyd County.

Boyd County scored its lone run in the third inning. The Lions were limited to three hits.

Boyd County committed four errors.

Left-handed pitcher Trey Johnson suffered the loss for Boyd County.

### Johnson Central 4, Boyd County 1

Johnson Central....010 000 3 - 4 6 2

Boyd County.....001 000 0 - 1 3 4

Ward, Hitchcock (3), Robbins (7) and LeMaster; Grimm, Johnson (5) and Barnwell. W-Hitchcock. L-Johnson.

## Lady Bulldogs sweep doubleheader from Ashland

ASHLAND — The Lawrence County softball team swept a doubleheader from host Ashland Blazer Saturday, March 16.

Lawrence County defeated Ashland 5-2 and 8-7.

Lawrence County 5, Ashland 2: Visiting Lawrence County scored two runs in the top half of the third inning and never trailed en route to a 5-2 win over host Ashland on Saturday, March 16.

Lawrence County pushed across five runs on seven hits.

The Lady Bulldogs thrived defensively, exiting the contest without an error.

Lawrence County junior pitcher Samantha Fitzpatrick picked up the win.

Josie Hardin smacked a home run, Kristin Caudill legged out a triple and McKenzie Giompalo delivered a double as part of Lawrence County's offensive attack.

Ashland, which committed two errors, scored one run in both the sixth and seventh innings.

The Kittens collected five hits.

Lawrence County 8, Ashland 7: Seventh-grade pitcher Ciana Bowens worked the last two innings and notched the win as the Lady Bulldogs defeated Ashland 8-7 in the second game of the doubleheader on Saturday, March 16.

Senior Taylor Porter provided the game-winning hit for Lawrence County when connected for a single in the seventh inning.

Lawrence County scored its eight runs on nine hits.

Defensively, Lawrence County committed only one error.

Ashland starting pitcher McKenzie Whitt, a junior,

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# Sports

## Russell edges Sheldon Clark 6-5

INEZ — Determined Russell pulled out a win on the road at Sheldon Clark Saturday, edging the Cardinals 6-5.

For Russell, senior outfielder J.D. Pridemore went 3-for-4 with a RBI and scored two runs, including the game-winner.

With the game tied 5-5 and runners on first and second bases, Pridemore scored from second base on a slow ground-er.

Russell senior pitcher Joel Mullen went six innings and struck out eight opposing batters, claiming the win after an impressive outing.

Sophomore pitcher Justin Fraley claimed the save for the Red Devils.

Russell notched its second straight win, improving to 3-2

after claiming the victory.

The Cardinals scored their five runs on four hits.

Offensively, Brandon Butcher delivered a double for Sheldon Clark in the setback.

Sheldon Clark sophomore pitcher Tanner Lafferty suffered the loss.

Each team committed two errors.

Sheldon Clark suffered its third straight loss, slipping to 1-4.

Earlier in the week, in a game played on Tuesday, Sheldon Clark defeated 57th District rival Paintsville 9-3 for its first first. One day later, Paintsville defeated the Cardinals 5-1.

Former 58th District front-runner Allen Central beat Sheldon Clark 5-1 on Friday

in another early-season Kentucky high school baseball matchup.

Johnson Central dropped a pair of games in Lexington on Saturday. Lexington Christian defeated the Golden Eagles 13-3 in six innings. In another game, Christian Academy of Knoxville blanked Johnson Central 10-0.

**Russell 6,  
Sheldon Clark 5**

Russell.....101 002  
2 - 6 9 2  
Sheldon Clark.....003 020  
0 - 5 4 2

Mullen, Fraley (7); Cathey, Hamilton (3); Lafferty and Risner. W-Mullen. L-Lafferty. 2B-Pridemore (R), May (R), Butcher (SC).

## Bowman, Kingsmore sign with ALC

PIPPA PASSES — The Alice Lloyd College volleyball program has announced the signing of Lawrence County High School senior Merissa Bowman to an athletic letter of intent for the 2013 season.

The talented setter is expected to be an exciting addition to ALC's burgeoning squad.

ALC Head Coach Jolene Watts traveled to Louisa on Friday and obtained Bowman's signature.

"Merissa's versatility as a player and her ability to play numerous positions will be a tremendous asset to our program," Watts said. "We expect great things from her and our team. We're eager to start the season!"

ALC Head Coach Scott Cornett and Assistant Coach Jason Stowers have announced the signing of Lawrence County High School senior pitcher Ryan Kingsmore to an athletic letter of intent for next season. Stowers traveled to Louisa on Friday and returned to Pippa Passes with the fresh signature of the Lawrence County starting pitcher.

"Ryan is a great addition to this team," Stowers said. "He brings tremendous athleticism, as well as speed, to the Eagles lineup."

Kingsmore is the brother of

Dustin Kingsmore, a former Alice Lloyd College player who was known for his versatility in the infield. Dustin Kingsmore graduated from Alice Lloyd last

year.

Ryan Kingsmore helps to lead a Lawrence County baseball team that is a contender for the 2013 15th Region title.



**MARIA LEMASTER TOOK** the mound for Paintsville in a game against Morgan County on March 19. The Lady Tigers won the game 6-1. *Photo/Shawn Thompson*



**PAINTSVILLE'S ALEX MEADE** signed a swimming scholarship with Campbellsville University on March 20 at Paintsville High School. Shown, l-r, are Rae Ann Meade (sister), Casey Smith (swimming coach Campbellsville), Krista Hackworth (mother), Alex Meade, and Tim Meade (father). *Photo Shawn Thompson*

## Holliday finishes 2nd in state

FRANKFORT — The Trigg County Arrowcats swept the team competition at the 2013 National Archery in the Schools (NASP) Kentucky state championship held March 18-19 at Louisville's International Convention Center.

Prestonsburg High School sophomore Billy Jack Holliday shot a 297 and tied for first. Then, following a shootoff, Holliday finished second in the state.

"We changed our coaching philosophy and the kids have really responded both academically and athletically," said Tom Patterson, coach of Trigg County's high school team. "We're really pleased, and we have a good group of people helping us."

"A record number of student archers - a total of 4,093 - participated in the tournament," said Patrick O'Connell, state NASP coordinator. "And there's still room to bring more schools into the program here in Kentucky."

Elementary, middle and high school students competed for individual and team awards. It was the 12th state tournament held in Kentucky since the program began in 2001.

Archery is now a Kentucky High School Athletic Association (KHSAA) sport activity so the top five high school boys and girls and top 3 teams received KHSAA state championship awards. "This is the first year we've sanctioned archery as a

sport activity," said Mike Barren, KHSAA assistant commissioner. "We didn't want these kids to miss out on a part of the school community."

After practice rounds, each competitor shot 15 arrows from 10 meters and 15 arrows from 15 meters, for a total possible score of 300 points. Competitors shot additional rounds to break ties.

The top finishers in the team and individual standings qualify for the 2013 NASP Nationals, to be held in Louisville May 10-11.

A list of all of the individual and team winners are posted at: [www.nasptournaments.org/](http://www.nasptournaments.org/). Click on 2013 Kentucky State Tournament, then View All Results.

## LCHS: Ladies sweep double-header from Ashland

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helped her cause at the plate by belting a three-run home run to put the Kittens ahead 4-1. Host Ashland, however, couldn't keep the lead.

Ashland scored its seven runs via six hits.

The Kittens committed three errors in the loss.

Ashland hosted Lawrence County for its first games in the 2013 season.

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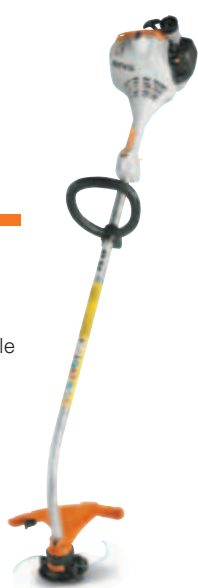
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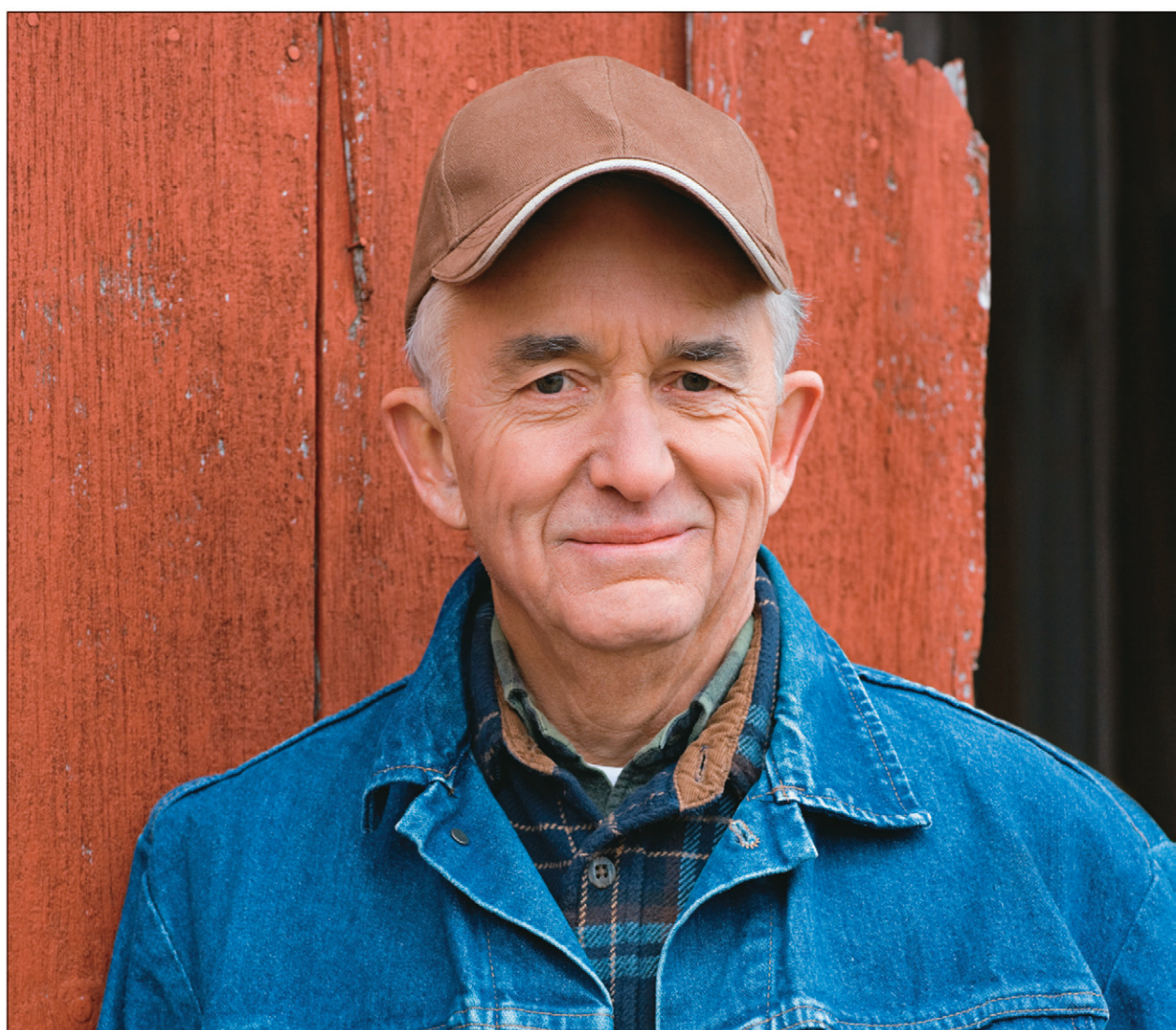
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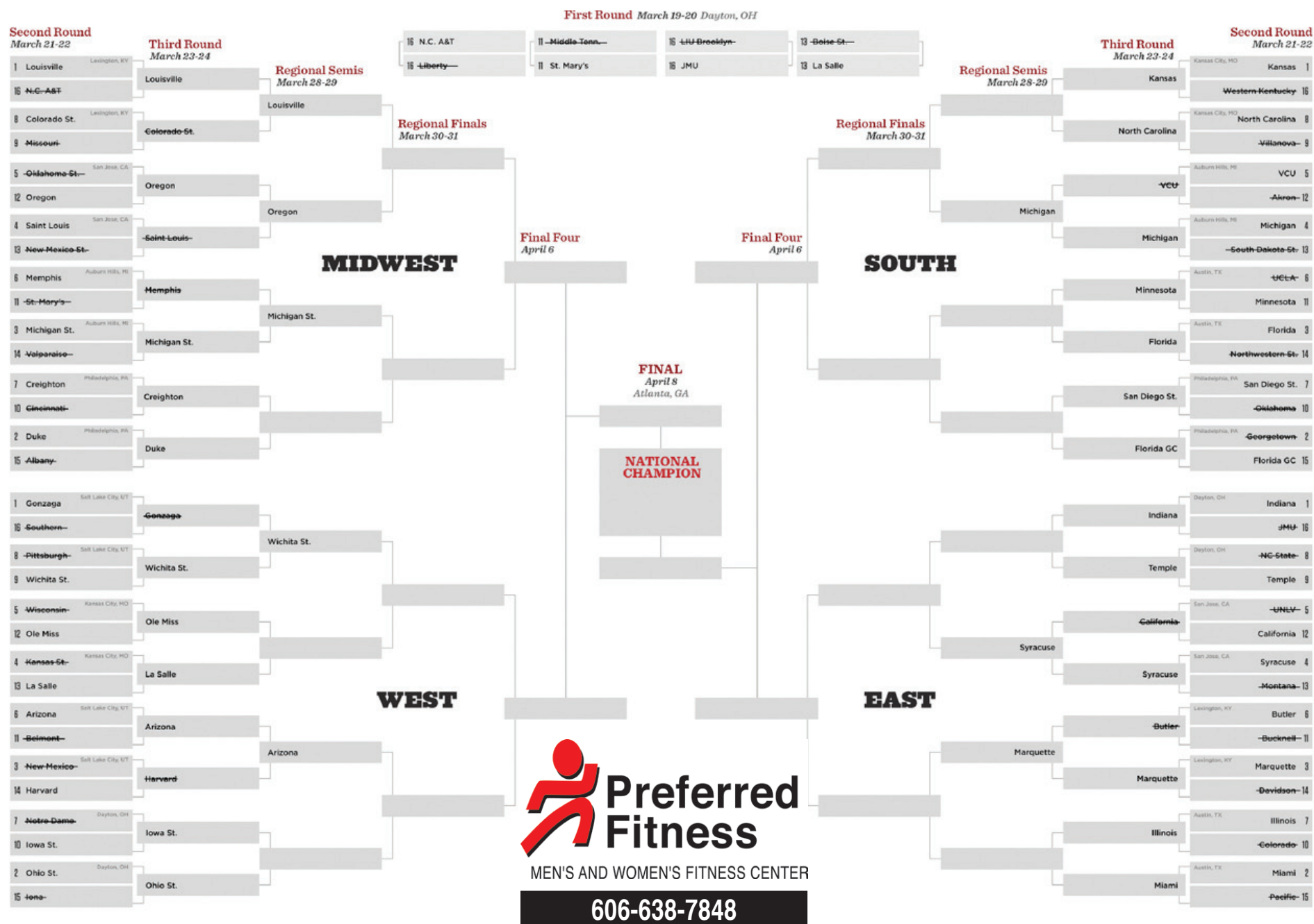
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